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The Fair.

The eighth annual Cameron County Fair will be held at Keystone Park beginning on Tuesday, Sept. 13th and continues for four days. It promises to be one of the best that has ever been held here. The premium list is larger than heretofore and includes everything in the line of horses, cattle, poultry, sheep, swine, produce, and also in culinary, and in fact anything that you might have to exhibit. The premium list will be ready in a few days. For further particulars write to F. G. Judd, Emporium, Pa.

W. C. T. U. Convention.

The W. C. T. U. Convention of Cameron county which was held in the First M. E. Church on Monday and Tuesday of this week was well attended at all the sessions. The Field Worker, Mrs. S. C. Wilson, of DuBois was present and gave some good talks. The State President, Mrs. Ella M. George, of Beaver Falls, was also present and addressed the meeting on Tuesday evening. Mrs. George is a good speaker and the large audience were well pleased. Much interest was manifested all through the meetings and several good talks were given by town people.

Attended the Ball Game.

Last Saturday afternoon, the following Emporium gentlemen autoed to Driftwood, where they witnessed the ball game between Emporium and Driftwood. Drs. H. W. Mitchell, W. H. Bush, H. S. Falk, Messrs. Fred J. Keim, Andrew Brady, D. R. Branson and J. H. Stephens.

Six O'clock Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Paul Pelt entertained several relatives at six o'clock dinner last Saturday evening, at their pleasant home on Sixth street. Covers were laid for fourteen. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Felt and sons Frank and Lee W., Dr. Leon R. Felt and wife, Mrs. S. E. Felt, Mrs. Guy S. Felt, Mrs. Rena Shafer, Dr. C. L. Felt, wife and son Carl.

Base Ball.

The Keystone National Base Ball team went to Driftwood, as per schedule, last Saturday afternoon and were defeated by that team with a score of 4 to 3, having played 11 innings. It was a close call and a hard fought game for both teams. Driftwood was supposed to have played at this place yesterday; but owing to some unaccountable reason failed to make good.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.
REV. R. H. BENT, Pastor.

Services Sunday morning and evening, subject for the morning, "From Beyond Mars and Return." Subject for the evening, "Throttled Convictions. Pastor expects to preach at both services. Cordial welcome to strangers and others.

Opening of School.

The schools of Emporium will open on Monday September 5th. Pupils who have attended school in other places and desire to be admitted to our schools must see the principal in his office on Friday Sept. 2nd from 9 to 12 a. m. All such pupils as well beginners must present a certificate of successful vaccination before they can be admitted.

The law does not require the admission of children until they reach the age of six years but in order to prevent the frequent forming of new classes the Board permits the enrollment of children who will be six years of age before Jan. 1st, 1911 during the first week of school. Those who reach the age of six between Jan. 1, 1911 and May 15, 1911 may be admitted after the Holiday vacation. Parents will please note this regulation as it is impossible to have beginners coming in at various times through the term.

The law requires the attendance of all children between the age of 8 and 16, except those who having reached the age of 14 hold a certificate of employment given by the principal of schools and regularly employed at some useful occupation. The Directors are sworn to enforce the law and it is hoped that no necessity may arise for proceedings against parents during the present school term.

All teachers are requested to meet in the High School room on Friday evening, Sept. 2, at 8:00 o'clock. Directors are invited.

In conclusion let us hope for a cordial co-operation on the part of all concerned so that each year may place our schools on a higher plane of efficiency.

C. E. PLASTERER, Principal.

Local news on every page.

DEATH'S DOINGS.

HOWARD.

MRS. MABEL W. CUSH-HOWARD, wife of County Treasurer Chas. J. Howard, and daughter of Edward and Kathryn Cush, died at the hospital at Williamsport on Wednesday morning, August 24th. Mrs. Howard was born at Sizerville, July 6th, 1876 and received her education at that place, later she attended the High School at Eldred, from which place she graduated at the age of fifteen years. She taught school one year at Wharton, Potter county and then taught three consecutive terms at Sizerville and later taught the grammar school at this place for four years, prior to her marriage. In May 1899 she became the wife of Mr. Chas. J. Howard and to this union four children were born, the eldest being ten years of age and the youngest is but four years old. On Saturday August 20th, Mrs. Howard was stricken with appendicitis and the following Tuesday she was removed to the hospital at Williamsport, where an operation was performed immediately, but to no avail and death came to relieve her sufferings early the following morning. She was accompanied to the hospital by Mr. and Mrs. John T. Howard, her husband and Dr. H. S. Falk. Deceased is survived by her husband, four children, Elizabeth, Chas. J. Jr., John, Taylor and Kathryn, her aged parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cush, of Gardeau, two sisters and two brothers, Mrs. Sprung, of Denver, Colo., Mrs. W. B. Thompson, of this place, Edward, of Pittsburg, Pa., and Norman at home. Mrs. Howard's friends were legion and her sudden death is keenly felt and her early demise is a severe loss to her little children, who are now at an age when they most need a mother's love and care. Her aged parents are stricken with grief and all the family are bowed down with their great sorrow.

The death of this pleasant young woman was indeed a terrible shock to her afflicted family and friends. This happy, jovial girl as we knew her when she was only a child, was a devoted wife, fond mother and seemed happy to be surrounded by her children and husband. Although wrapped up in her family and never happier than when at their country home on the Portage where she passed her childhood days, she delighted to entertain their friends. We unite with the friends of the family in tendering our heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved husband and children.

THE FUNERAL.

The funeral of this highly esteemed lady was held at the Emmanuel Episcopal Church last Friday afternoon at four o'clock and was one of the largest ever held in Emmanuel Church. The Rector, Rev. M. L. Tate officiated. E special choir composed of Misses Elizabeth Crandell, Vera Olmsted, Mrs. Fred Seger and Messrs. Chas. A. Leutze, Frank Felt and W. S. Sterner, rendered the music, Mrs. E. Mead Floyd presided at the organ. Lead Kindly Light and Asleep in Jesus were sung. The flower bearers were Misses Grace A. Walker, Alice Montgomery, Mrs. Guy S. Felt and Mrs. D. R. Branson. The floral offerings were beautiful. The casket-bearers were Messrs. Andrew Brady, Albert Forbes, James P. Creighton, Fred Seger, D. R. Branson and Geo. A. Walker. Interment was made in the Wiley Annex of the Newton Cemetery. The PRESS joins with the entire community in offering its sincere sympathy to the bereaved family.

GIBBS.

Jessee, the 11 month old son of Walter Gibbs, died at the family home on South Maple street, last Friday morning. The child had never been in good health but everything was done to keep the little spark of life burning. It will be remembered that the mother died last June, leaving the care of a large family to a daughter, who has been unfailing in the care of her little brother. The funeral took place Sunday, interment in Rich Valley cemetery.

RUSSELL.

MISS VIOLA RUSSELL, the eight year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Russell died at their home on the Four Mile last Wednesday, August 24th. The child was injured a week previous to her death, by falling from a shed in the rear of her home and received internal injuries. The funeral was held last Thursday afternoon from the family home and interment was made in the private burial plot on the Russell farm. Rev. J. F. Anderson, pastor of the First M. E. Church officiated. The family have the sympathy of the PRESS.

Returned Home.

Matthew Sherber, who was injured ed at the paper mill at Johnsonburg, last January, and has just left the hospital at Ridgway, is at present at the home of his father at this place. The young man lost his right leg at the knee and his left foot was severely injured, the result of the accident.

Fine Prospect.

The Clarion State Normal School will open its twenty-fourth annual session on Tuesday, September 18th. The Attendance promises to be the largest in the history of the institution. During the past five years the growth has been unusual. It has an ideal location and a fine equipment. A fine spirit characterizes the student body. If you have not already engaged a room better do so at once. J. George Becht, Principal, Clarion, Pa.

Old Emporiumites in the West.

We received a letter on Monday from F. A. Hill, at Seattle, Wash., signed by the following old Emporium friends who were stopping with Edw. Dion, proprietor of "The Kentucky Bar: J. W. Kay, Ludger Dion, Roy Burlew, F. A Hill, A. D. McDonell, James L. Norrie and Edward Dion. Our above friends are located in different sections of the west, but met at Mr. Dion's. The letter says that the "whole state of Washington is going dry." We imagine that the party were enjoying themselves.

Good Appointment.

Prof. D. B. Peterson, who has been teaching school at Cameron for the past three years, has received the appointment as principal of the township schools near Kane, Pa. On Saturday Prof. Peterson informed the PRESS that he was going to Kane to look over the ground, preparatory to getting the term started. His family will remain at Cameron for this year at least. We congratulate the genial Professor on his success and hope that everything will turn out all right, as he is a teacher of ability.

Dairy Products as Food.

The products of the dairy are perhaps the most useful articles included in the human diet. A meal made up of dishes into which no product of the dairy cow enters would not be such as to inspire "the turnpike road to people's hearts I find lies through their mouths, or I mistake mankind." Take away the butter for the bread, the cream for the coffee and the porridge, the shortening in the crust and the biscuits, the in the gravy and in the puddings, the cream for the dessert and the various kinds of cheese which please and satisfy, then take away the cup of milk for the little one and the meal that would be left would be neither tempting nor nutritious.

The health of our people depends so much upon an adequate supply of pure dairy products that even a scarcity is always attended by suffering and death.

Butter is sometimes referred to as a luxury. This is a mistake. Butter is not a luxury but one of the necessities of life, and its composition is such that nothing can take its place and perform the same function. It is nature's product compounded in the maternal organism and the process is in accordance with nature's law, a law which man can imitate but cannot understand. Man can manufacture from various fats and oils a substitute for butter but it cannot take the place of nature's product because man cannot understand the needs of the human body as nature understands them.

The animal body is developed best when nourished by foods which have been little manipulated by man and machinery. Dairy products are, as a rule, consumed nearly as pasture produced them. This is particularly true with milk upon which the growing body must depend. In the case of butter only a small percentage of other products are added to the fat extracted from the milk. Man only manipulates it in order to put it in convenient shape for use. It can still be termed a product of nature designed as only nature can design for use as food by the human body.

The National Dairy Union,
E. K. SLATER, SEC'Y,
St. Paul, Minn.

Meals at The Fair.

The ladies of the First Methodist Episcopal church will serve the meals at the Fair this year. Hot dinners and suppers right in the pavillion, arrange to get your meals here.

Taken to Hospital.

Mr. E. T. Wells, of East Emporium was taken to the Ridgway hospital on Sunday on the afternoon train suffering with typhoid fever. We are informed he is in a very critical condition at this writing.

Died at Ridgway.

Mrs. John Cummings and Mr. James P. Creighton, of this place, who went to Ridgway, Wednesday morning, were called there by the very serious illness of their mother, Mrs. Mary Creigton, whose death occured at that place, Wednesdday evening at seven o'clock. We copy the following from to-day's Ridgway Democrat:

"Mrs. Mary Creighton, for years one of the very highly respected residents of Ridgway, passed peacefully away at her home at 201 South Main street shortly before seven o'clock last evening. A serious attack of heart trouble hastened the end, although she has been afflicted for some time with a complication of diseases, brought on partly by her advanced age.

Deceased has been confined to the bed the greater part of the present summer, suffering with various ills. Her condition, however was never regarded as exactly dangerous during all that time, until the failure of her heart last evening gave a warning of the inevitable, but all too late.

Mrs. Creighton was born in County Clare, Ireland, sixty-seven years ago. When about six years of age she came to this country with her parents, who settled in the Eastern section of the United States. She was married to John Creighton who died in 1894 and ever since that time Mrs. Creighton has resided in this city.

Deceased is survived by tae following children: Mrs. John Cummings, of Emporium; James P., of Emporium: Mrs. J. F. Roach, of Peoria, Ill.; W. H. Creighton, of Bellville, Ark.; Mrs. J. T. McMinn, of Punxsutawney, Pa.; the Misses Agnes, and Lucy and Luke A. Creighton, the latter three at home.

She was a faithhful professor of the Catholic faith all her life, and services will be held from the local church."

The funeral of this venerable old lady will take place on Saturday morning at nine o'clock.

Attention Please.

Having moved into my newly fitted up tonsorial parlors on Fourth street, I desire to announce that I am now prepared to do either electric or hand massageing. Within a few days I will have a compressed air apparatus for shampooing. In connection with the tonsorial work I have newly fitted up shower and tub bath. Ladies desiring shampooing can have the same by calling and making dates for after heurs. Special attention will be given to this work.

J. H. MULCAHY,
Spring Block, Emporium, Pa.

Lost.

On Wednesday, Aug. 24th a brown pocket book evidently on Fourth street between Maple and Chestnut street. Finder will kindly return the same to Mr. J. D. Logan, at the express office and receive reward.

Increasing in Number.

In this year's report at the State Convention of the P. O. S. of A., which was held at Easton, Pa., the report shows that there are now 93,500 members in Pennsylvania, an increase of 3,010 over last year's report.

Will Return to Emporium.

Mr. and Mrs. William Taylor will again make their home in Emporium, in the very near future. Mr. Taylor has accepted the position as bookkeeper for the Emporium Machine Company, a position which he formerly held before his removal to Pittsburg. Mr. Harry Lupold, the present incumbent of the office will leave for new fields of labor in West Virginia. We welcome both Mr. and Mrs. Taylor back to Emporium.

Wild Elephants Disturbed His Slumbers.

Who could sleep in an elephant and rhinoceros trail when a herd of elephants was charging about, trumpeting and bellowing? In his illustrated lecture, "Through Africa with Roosevelt." J. Alden Loring says it made his hair stand on end and the porters climbed trees. Emporium Opera House, Saturday evening, Sept. 10.

Luncheon and Bridge.

Last Thursday afternoon Mrs. Guy S. Felt entertained several lady friends at luncheon at 12:30 o'clock, which was followed by bridge. A very pleasant afternoon was spent.

Wanted.

Homes for two girls, ages eight and ten years. Inquire of Mrs. I. K. Hockley, President of Children's Aid Society.

For Sale.

A new $30.00 roll top desk at $20.00. Apply to W. W. WEIMAN.

Mason Reunion.

DRIFTWOOD, PA., AUG. 31, 1910.

EDITOR THE PRESS:—

In your issue of Aug. 25th, I notice a report of the Mason Reunion for 1908 and 1909, as follows.

Report for 1908.

Hauling Water,	$4 00
Postage. Ribbon and Water Barrel,	3 75
	$7 75

Expenses for 1909.

Labor and Material,	$33 32
Lumber,	20 75
Music,	16 80
Badges,	1 70
Printing and Postages,	4 13
Total	$76 70

Now let us add the expenses for the Reunion of1910.

Printing and Postage,	$5 59

The Reunion of 1908 was held in Wylie's grove near Tunnel Hill, which had been fitted up by the railroad shopmen of Renovo, at an expense of several hunered dollars. Mr. Wylie kindly giving the use of the grove gratis. This grouud could not be secured for the Reunion of 1909, which necessitated the securing of new grounds which was done by the committee and officers in charge, and on which we have a lease for term of years. These grounds are situated about one mile east of Sterling Run Station, convenient and easy of access from railroad and township road. Fine shape, good water and an ideal place for reunions, pic-nics or camping parties.

The Reunion of 1910 was attended by many of the Mason descendents their relatives and friends from near and far. Some coming from points as far distant as Atlantic City, N. J., Pittsburg, Punxsutawney and Port Allegany. Pa. All had an enjoyable time and we look forward to the Reunion of 1911 in anticipation of a greater and a better reunion than ever.

M. J. B. BROOKS.

Notice W. R. C.

On Thursday, Sept. 8th, Corps No. 89, will hold no meeting, but on that date will have an all day quilting at the home of Mrs. Olive Downey. Let there be a good turn out of members. Usual custom observed.

Charged by a Lioness.

If you care to know how it feels to be charged by a lioness gliding along at the rate of 45 miles an hour, attend the illustrated lecture at Emporium Opera House on Saturday, Sept. 10, by one of the members of the Roosevelt African Expedition, This and other thrilling experiences are told.

Visiting Elk County.

Miss Charlotte Spence, the locrl secretary of the Sabbath School Association of Cameron county, has accepted the position as field worker in the Sunday Schools of Elk county. Miss Spence went to Driftwood on Wednesday morning, where she will go to several places in lower Elk County to begin her work. We wish her success in the new work.

Returned Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Stout of Columbia county returned to their home on Monday after a very pleasant visit with the latter's aunt, Mrs. W. H. Morse of Cameron. Mr. and Mrs. Stout are just returning from their wedding tour to Buffalo and Niagara Falls, and other places of interest. Mrs. Stout, formerly Miss Hattie Giberson, spent several weeks with Cameron relatives last summer. We join with their many friends wishing them a long, prosperous and happy life.

New Bank.

We understand the movement on foot to establish a new bank for the town is meeting with great success, a number of capitalists having become deeply interested in the enterprise. A portion of the stock is still available and persons intersted may learn full particulars by addressing Geo. P. Jones, Emporium, Pa., who will furnish all information until organization takes place.

Baptist Association, Sept. 6 and 7.

Among the speakers will be LeRoy Stepens, D. D., Secretary of the Educational Board, S. A. Soars, D. D., of the State Mission Society and S. G. Neil of the American Baptist Publication Society. All men of note in the state.

We are still anxious to hear from friends who will offer to care for delegates through the convention. Please notify Mrs. C. Jay Goodnough.

Next Sunday the Baptist Church will resume its regular services, preaching morning and evening. S. S., add C. E., at the regular hours.

Cedar Shingles $4.50 per thousand at C.B. Howard & Co's.

THE WEATHER.

FRIDAY, Fair.
SATURDAY, Fair.
SUNDAY, Fair.

ASSETS

First National Bank,

EMPORIUM, PA.

At the close of business, Aug., 31 1910,

$990,981.70.

When Your House Burns.

You have insurance to cover at least a part of your loss. But you can't have your valuable papers insured, and often times they are worth more to you than all the other contents of your home.

A Safety Deposit Box at this Bank will insure perfect safety to your valuable papers, insurance policies, deeds, mortgages, etc., and you alone will have access to them by an individual key. Rental $1.50 year cost is much less than your worry has been.

$1.00 Starts an Account.

3° INTEREST PAID ON SAVING BOOK ACCOUNTS AND CERTIFICATES OF DEPOSIT.

DR. LEON REX FELT,
DENTIST.
Rockwell Block, Emporium, Pa.

DR. H. W. MITCHELL,
DENTIST,
Office over A. F. Vogt's Shoe Store
Emporium, Pa. 12y

Another Misleading Statement.

So much has been said relative to the expenses connected with Broad street paving and so many false reports issued, or rather circulated, calculated to deceive the tax-payers, that we published in the PRESS recently a statement of the Borough financial condition on July 16th, 1910, over the signature of Mr. E. D. White, our efficient and capable Borough Treasurer, who certainly had the proper data at hand to verify his statement. The Burgess, or even any tax-payer could secure the statement just as readily as THE PRESS. This report was issued July 16, 1910, there being of course the August bills to add to the disbursements, all work under construction having been completed as ordered or contracted for by the Borough.

We notice in last week's East Emporium *Independent* an open letter from Burgess Marshall, wherein he indulges in some more misrepresentations. In the first place he asks if we intend to pay the borough expenses and pave Fourth street from the 1910 tax budget. Our answer: Is the cost of Broad street paving taken from the 1910 tax? Certainly not—any school boy should know better. It is the desire of, and intention, of the Borough Council to place all bonds, for improvements and the up-building of Emporium, for a long term of years, at a low rate of interest. Mr. Burgess again disputes the genuineness of Mr. White's statement, issued July 16, 1910, over a month ago, because the figures do not lie. The tax-payers fully understand the fact that two-thirds of the cost of paving Broad Street is repaid by the abutting property owners into the Borough treasury. In case Fourth street, or any portion of it, should be paved this year, or at any future time, the tax-payers-at-large would be taxed for one-third the cost.

"What think you, Mr. Tax-payer?" Are we to continue hauling mud, cinders, dirt and other matter to fill up our roads or crossings, only to repeat the waste of money year after year? We are emphatically in favor of paving every foot of Fourth street from Junction to Iron Bridge, near Woodland Avenue; to be decided by popular vote and the Borough bonded for thirty years, which would cost each taxpayer about two cents on a dollar of valuation, each year. "What think you, Mr. Tax-payer."

Wild People That Live on Milk and Blood.

In the South country of Africa there is a naked race of savages that lives solely on blood and milk mixed. J. Alden Loring, one of the naturalists who accompanied the ex-president, describes these people and their habits in his illustrated lecture "Through Africa with Roosevelt." Emporium Opera House, Saturday evening, Sept. 10.

Youthful Westons.

Last Sunday, four of Emporium's young hopefuls started for a long walk which resulted in a jaunt of about fifteen miles. They started from East Emporium and tramped the pipe line to Hunts Rnn; thence to Cameron and again to Emporium, having made the trip in a little over four hours. The walkers were Messrs. Fred Metzger, George Piper, Riley Murray and Will Spence. They are contemplating another trip in the near future.

CAMERON COUNTY PRESS.

H. H. MULLIN, Editor and Proprietor
Published Every Thursday

EMPORIUM. - PENNSYLVANIA

Keep cool and keep your temper.

Beware of the pure spring water at the summer resort.

A new airship record, also an airship, are broken every day.

The cases of short weights seems to be just as clear as the product.

They are breaking aviation records rather more rapidly than the limbs of the aviators.

The report that Castro is on his way to Venezuela appears to be taking a summer vacation.

This is the season when many things happen that make a man glad he learned to swim.

It has been demonstrated that a monorail car will not stay on a rail that is not firmly laid.

A Massachusetts university president wants to conserve the reliable old fashioned spanking.

It seems doubtful if Virginia's new anti-cussing law will be any more effective than the anti-kissing movement.

Just think of stealing the milk of a poor cow when she was interested in the beautiful strains of Beethoven or Wagner.

Explanations from the weather bureau that a hot wave is something in the nature of a flare-up would do no good whatever.

A West Point cadet has been punished for chewing gum. The stenographers' union should pass resolutions of sympathy.

It will be noticed that these would-be nude fanatics up in the Saskatchewan always select the summer months for their demonstrations.

A Boston suicide left a dollar bill to pay for the gas he used, and Boston papers are referring to this as an evidence of culture and refinement.

A substitute for radium has been invented. We shall refuse to use it until we can be assured that it doesn't contain benzoate of soda.

Pennsylvania reports the appearance there of a new blood-poisoning bug. Pennsylvania should lose no time in developing a smaller bug to bite it.

Baltimore is having an undertakers' war. Baltimore people who intend to eat ice cream cones should do it now and get the benefit of cheap funerals.

A New York paper is trying to find out the name of the man who invented the cocktail. As he must be dead by now, why impose the blot on his memory?

Flights over the English channel should be encouraged. An aviator with a good cork jacket is much safer over a large body of water than he is above land.

A young woman in Washington is so beautiful that she can't get employment. They won't even give her a chance to prove that handsome is as handsome does.

In view of the bad character that has recently been fastened upon the fly the man who is referred to by his friends as one who "wouldn't harm a fly" is finding it difficult to retain public esteem.

The gas works of the Zeppelin Airship company at Friedrichshafen, Germany, have been demolished by an explosion which injured seven people. There are men who would get discouraged if they were in Zeppelin's place.

Attacks upon children by dogs and cats are chronicled quite frequently nowadays, probably because of neglect of the animals during the hot weather. Animals that are extremely thirsty during the heated term are as apt to become deranged as men who are subjected to extremes of heat and cold. All owners of animals should exercise more than usual care in looking after their comfort while the weather is uncomfortably hot.

The government chief chemist says that ice cream is very injurious to the youth of the country during the heated term. The next thing some scientific iconoclast will be holding forth on the deleterious nature of the moonlight excursion germ and the dangers of the park concert microbe. And the youth of the country will continue in these germ-inviting ways and will survive, as it has done since romance and ice cream were invented.

Just because the early bird catches the worm does not prove that the early riser cuts the most grass.

The announcement of the discovery of an anti-typhoid vaccine which comes from Paris may mean the addition of another important means of preventing disease to a list already of gratifying length. Typhoid fever is so prevalent and so insidious and carries with it danger of so many complications that anything which helps to lessen the evil will mean great benefit to the race.

WORK NOT DELAYED

INQUIRY INTO OPERATION OF TARIFF SCHEDULES.

Charges That the Administration Is Not in Earnest in This Matter Shown to Be Without Any Foundation.

Some rather sharp criticism lately has been caused by the fact that a permanent tariff commission has not yet been provided for. The opinion is put forward is some quarters that a policy of delay is being followed in the hope that the demand for the commission will be lost sight of. "The Republican party has missed a great opportunity to put itself right before the American people," declares one of the critics. Considering the usually well-informed sources from which these comments come, they are somewhat surprising. Those who know what is going on in Washington are aware of the fact that the work which would have been turned over to the commission is proceeding just as though it had been created.

Some time ago President Taft directed the existing tariff board to make a detailed, scientific investigation of the operation of the tariff schedules. The chairman of the board is in Europe studying the methods of foreign tariff investigators. Another member is in France obtaining data on the home costs of foreign products, in which he will be assisted by special treasury agents and the consular service. A third member has taken up his headquarters in Chicago, there to give his personal attention to wool and the market conditions and production of meats and cereals. The statistical expert of the board is about to go to Europe to collate the facts and figures which the work of the chairman has made available.

The real investigators, however, will not be the members of the board, but business experts, who are being put to work rapidly. For instance, one of Carnegie's former engineers will compile the report on iron and steel. Every tariff schedule will be examined by an expert in that particular line. Instead of a small board being responsible for the facts to be set before the president they will be ascertained by the most highly trained men that the government can procure.

This work will continue without interruption until it is completed. How much time it will require no one can guess. But it seems that the president will not consent to any further revision of the tariff until authentic facts to base it on are at hand. If anybody knows a better way to obtain them than the one he has adopted he doubtless would be glad to hear about it.

The Bogy Man.

"There has never been a time since the close of the Civil war when the prospects of the Democratic party have been brighter than they are at present," says Senator Isidor Rayner of Maryland. The Republican party is divided, the masses have been betrayed, the interests have kidnaped Mr. Taft, and so the Democrats are about to come into their own. But this is a day dream. As the shades of night fall, and "the beetle wheels his droning flight" and the barn owl hoots, Mr. Rayner sees a specter and shivers. with dread. The prospect he vaunts is not so bright after all. He confesses it himself:

"Will Mr. Bryan and his followers permit the Democratic party to nominate a president of the United States and to send to the people a platform of its own construction? If he shall insist, as I have no reason to think he will, that he must select a candidate for us and that he must frame the platform, then we must rise in our might and assert the principle that no one man has the right to dictate the nomination and formulate the principles of the Democratic party."

The Hon. John Walter Smith, the junior senator, also wants the party to rise in its might. He serves notice on Mr. Bryan that he must not dominate. Such fears are sweetest incense to Mr. Bryan's nostrils. The palpitations in Maryland reinspire him with hope. Snubbed in Nebraska, flouted in Ohio, he beholds the Maryland senators going down on their marrowbones and begging him to throw away ambition and let the Democratic party alone. It must choose between weakly yielding to him or bouncing him without benefit of clergy. Either fork of the road goes in the direction of Salt creek.

Great Increase In Imports.

A tariff that increases imports cannot be called vicious, except from the protective viewpoint, and yet under the Payne-Aldrich tariff of 1909 there has been in seven months an increase of nearly $200,000,000 in competitive imports! Also a big increase in imports on the free list. Was not this downward revision enough? How much more of importations that displace American labor would you desire?—Newton (N. J.) Register.

The increase in exports in the last fiscal year was due largely to manufactures sent abroad. That is possible only for the reason that the protective tariff develops manufactures in this country. Under free-trade the nation would return to pastoral pursuits.

Champ Clark says he can almost see himself in the speaker's chair. It is a mirage, colonel.—Omaha Bee.

SHOULD RAISE THE MAINE

Particular Reasons Why Question of Cost Must Have No Consideration.

The difficulty of raising the old Maine, sunk in 18 feet of mud in addition to the 30 feet of water in Havana harbor, is being made much of by army engineers. It may be so great as to be practicably insuperable. Certainly it is far beyond the sum provided in the congressional appropriation, as well informed persons knew and said when the appropriation was made.

But when the argument is made as in favor of abandoning the undertaking it is really a reason why the question of cost must not stand in the road of establishing the truth. It is that the raising "might result in unexpected disclosures which would be better left at rest." In other words it is argued by an American paper that it is best not to let the truth be known lest it should be shown that the view of the United States was wrong.

This position is so discreditable that it calls for distinct repudiation. Supposing the imputation to be true, the United States cannot in honesty let a half million dollars stand in the road of doing justice to a defeated antagonist. To propose such a course is a counsel of mingled poltroonery and dishonesty.

As a matter of fact there is not the slightest foundation for that dishonorable fear. At the inquiry into the loss of the Maine the builder's plan showing the number and location of every structural beam in the vessel was before the board for reference. The number of a beam found forced upward and sticking at an angle through the decks was reported by the divers and identified on the plan as a part of the keel. To doubt that this proved an explosion beneath the keel is to suppose that divers, engineers and naval officers were joined in a conspiracy of perjury and falsehood. When an American paper casts that imputation it is time to insist on the truth being made clear if it costs several times a million.

Tariff Law That Works Well.

The new tariff law is proving not merely a good protective measure but a producer of income that puts it ahead of laws enacted "for revenue only." The complete returns up to April 30, which means ten months of the present fiscal year of the government, show that the customs receipts were $252,000,000, which beats all records for tariff laws. This disposes of the charge, made while the bill was pending in congress and after its passage, that it would be a failure as a revenue producer. Another wallacy is exploded by the showing, through indisputable official figures, that the rate of duty is lower than any which has been collected since the tariff act of 1883 went into effect. And it is to be remembered that this period included the operation of the Democratic Gorman-Wilson law. That measure slashed duties right and left, but this was done with little care to protect American interests, and the result was that imported products came into direct competition with domestic industries. It is shown by the official figures mentioned that the ad valorem percentage of duties collected for the full nine months, ended with April, during which the new law was in effect was 20.91. This was not only lower than at any time for a like period under the much-abused Dingley law, but below the Gorman-Wilson rate, which averaged 21.01 per cent. during similar terms of the three years while the act was operative. Again, the percentage of imports admitted free for the nine months in question was 49.89, against 44.31 under the Dingley law and 48.42 under the Gorman-Wilson act.

Great Party Record.

The work done in the first congress under President Taft's administration is far more extensive and important than, at the outset, he, Senator Aldrich, Speaker Cannon or any other Republican expected. The Payne tariff act, passed at the special session, has been called by Mr. Taft and other Republican leaders the best law in its particular field ever enacted. It has given adequate protection to every industry which needed protection and at the same time it has furnished much more revenue to the government than the Dingley act provided. In a fairly satisfactory way it adjusted the tariff schedules to the changes in conditions which came since the Dingley law was framed in 1897.—Leslie's Weekly.

Over-Confidence Only Peril.

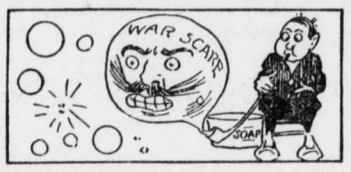
The only peril which now confronts the Republicans is over-confidence, and the campaign managers may be relied on to keep this feeling from getting into dangerous shape. The record which congress has made in the session which close a few days hence will furnish a striking tribute to the Republicans as a party which carry out their pledges, in spirit as well as in letter.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Taft and Roosevelt.

Roosevelt and Taft are not political Siamese twins. Each has a mind of his own. Each has his own methods. One was president. The other is president now. The man who is president now is responsible for the administration of the duties of the office, and alone will be held accountable for the manner in which these duties are performed.—Rochester Democrat and Chronicle.

NATIONAL CAPITAL AFFAIRS

Bungling Diplomats Cause Trouble



WASHINGTON.—Ignorance on the part of amateur diplomats concerning the proper form of diplomatic correspondence nearly precipitated a war scare in two nations not long since. It was announced that the emperor of Germany had deliberately affronted the United States government by employing affectionate terms in addressing President Madriz of Nicaragua, whom our government had refused to recognize.

"Great and Good Friend," is the way the kaiser's letter to Madriz was commenced. This had sinister significance to the amateurs. Immediately the newspapers were filled with stories that Germany had espoused the cause of Madriz; that the Monroe doctrine had been thrown down and repudiated by the warlike kaiser;; also the emperor had been acting queerly of late and undoubtedly was bent on making all the trouble he could for the United States. After a little inquiry the war scare faded away.

"In all probability," said a state department official, "the emperor never knew that the note in question was sent. It was a regular routine matter in the German foreign office and followed the stereotyped form.

Nations are excessively polite to one another in their interchange of communications. Every letter that goes out from the state department to a foreign government has this ceremonial finish:

"Accept, excellency, the renewed assurance of my highest consideration."

The cermonail letters of all countries begin in about the same way. For instance, all of England's communications begin:

"George V., by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, king, defender of the faith, emperor of India, etc."

"Nicholas, by the Grace of God, emperor autocrat of all the Russias, czar of Casan, czar of Astracan, etc., lord of Plescott and grand duke of Smolenski, etc."

Germany's letters are very much like those of Russia, in that they begin by announcing all the titles of the ruling potentate. "William II., by God's grace, emperor of Germany and king of Prussia," etc., is the way the present emperor addresses his ceremonial letters. The emperor writes with a quill pen, and if one may judge by his signature on file in the state department, does not take much time about it.

Bad Land Title Tangle Is Revealed

A REPORT made to congress by a commission appointed to examine land titles in the District of Columbia discloses that many lots of land occupied by modern business houses and residences in the national capital are still owned by the government, notwithstanding the present tenants believe they have a clear title to the property.

This question of land titles in the national capital is not a new one. Two years ago congress created a commission to study it. The commission consisted of the attorney general, the secretary of war, Senator Scott of West Virginia, Representative Bartholdt of Missouri, and one of the district commissioners. The report reveals a horrible land tangle, which the courts will probably never be able to straighten out. The tangle is the outcome of the wild speculation in real estate that took place for a good many years after the capital was laid out.

Private lands were acquired in Washington, in the early days, by a very simple process. The territory "not exceeding" ten miles square was ceded to the United States government by Maryland and Virginia and placed under the authority of three commissioners, appointed by the president. They or any two of them were required, under the direction of the president, to survey and by proper metes and bounds define and limit a district of territory, and the territory so defined was established as a permanent seat of the government of the United States. Power was given the commissioners to purchase or accept land on the eastern side of the Potomac, for the use of the United States, and the commissioners were further required to provide suitable buildings for the accommodation of congress, the president and public officers of the government of the United States. It was to raise money to erect the public buildings that the government planned to sell its land to private parties.

No sooner had the capital city been laid out than land speculators appeared on the scene, and as a result of their operations, it is asserted, much land which belonged to the government illegally passed to individual owners.

Now Planning a Substitute for Beef

DEER and elk preserves may play an important part in reducing the high cost of beef. According to government experts who have made an investigation of the cost and methods of raising venison, declare that the game laws of the various states are preventing deer and elk farming and denying the country one of its chief sources of cheap and good meat. Deer and elk can be raised readily in nearly every state in the Union. They are easily controlled and cheaply fed. The increase of elk under domestication is fully equal to that of cattle.

The state and the government, through its Yellowstone park officials, have co-operated with individual ranchmen in caring for the vast herds of elk in the Jackson's Hole region in Wyoming. It is estimated that there are 30,000 elk in the Yellowstone park region, constituting the only great herd left. For two or three winters these elk have been fed, and have now come to look upon the feeding as a matter of course, and State Game Warden Nowlin of Wyoming, who has led the feeding experiments, says that the last of the great elk herds is becoming rapidly domesticated. Several ranchmen in the Rocky mountain country have conducted private elk preserves for years. Outside of the private elk preserves there are few herds left in the west.

Barret Littlefield, who lives near Slater, has several hundred elk on his great ranch. Every season he ships many carcasses of elk to the Denver market, besides supplying zoological gardens throughout the country. He has found it profitable to raise elk for the market—so profitable that he abandoned the cattle business years ago and has devoted himself entirely to the raising of venison. There are two other elk preserves in northwestern Colorado. J. B. Dawson, a Routt county pioneer, has several hundred head of elk on his ranch near Hayden.

In nearly every state in the Union the killing of deer is forbidden excepting in the fall and during a limited period. If deer and elk are to be raised for the market the venison farmer must be allowed to kill for the market, whenever the demand is there.

Government's Census of Indian Wards

IN the present census the government has made a great effort to obtain, through special agents, full and authentic data concerning the tribal relations of the Indians, as a decade hence when the fourteenth census will be taken, it probably will be found that those Indians who are now dependent wards of the nation have become full-fledged citizens.

The Indian population of the United States decreased in the decade from 1890 to 1900, from 273,607 to 266,760. In 1880 the care of the Indians cost the national government $5,206,109; in 1909 the cost had risen to $15,724,162, more than three times as much. The total attendance of Indian children in schools conducted by the government or by missionary enterprise is 25,777. In these schools no effort is spared to teach the child some industry by which he may support himself when he comes of age, and the Indians are gradually learning to live by the sweat of the brow upon the product of their own self-respecting handiwork, rather than upon the bounty of the government.

The Apache Indians employed on the Roosevelt reclamation project under the act of June 17, 1902, earned $34,000 in 1909, and rendered eminently satisfactory service in regions where, on account of the heat, a white man could not have labored. Sheep herding has given profitable employment to many hundreds of Navajos and Pueblos in the past year, and Pima and Papago Indians, employed as navvies on the Southern Pacific railway, earned many thousands of dollars. The Sioux farmers have done well, though they are deficient in the quality of persistent patience that makes the most successful sort of agricultural laborer.

TEN YEARS OF SUFFERING.
Restored at Last to Perfect Health by Doan's Kidney Pills.

Mrs. Narcissa Waggoner, Carterville, Ill., says: "For over ten years I suffered terribly with backaches, headaches, nervous and dizzy spells. The kidney secretions were unnatural and gave me great trouble. One day I suddenly fell to the floor, where I lay for a long time unconscious. Three doctors who treated me diagnosed my case as paralysis and said they could do nothing more for me. As a last resort, I began using Doan's Kidney Pills and was permanently cured. I am stronger than before in years."

Remember the name—Doan's.

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MISUNDERSTOOD HIM.

"My friend," said the solemn man on the railroad tran, "do you drink intoxicating liquors?"

"Sure!" cried the convivial chap. "Much obliged for the invitation. Got a flask with you?"

Making Tasks Easy

There are lots of magazines printed for the purpose of telling women how to make their work lighter. But you can't reduce labor by reading about it. All the philosophy and theory in the world won't help you out on wash day unless you use Easy Task soap, which lives up to its name and makes washing an easy task by doing half the work. Get it at your grocer's.

Advice.

"Doctor," called little Bingle, over his telephone, "my wife has lost her voice. What the dickens shall I do?"

"Why," said the doctor, gravely, "if I were you I'd remember the fact when Thanksgiving day comes around, and act accordingly."

Whereupon the doctor chuckled as he charged little Bingle $2 for professional services.—Harper's Weekly.

Game.

The Creditor—Will you pay this bill now, or never?

The Debtor—Mighty nice of you to give me my choice, old scout. I choose never.

He is a good time-saver that finds out the fittest opportunity for every action.—Thomas Fuller.

Nipped In the Bud.

The Minister (stopping to tea)—No, thank you, I must decline on the cucumbers.

Little Tommie—Guess you're afraid of the tummy ache, but you don't need to be, cuz when I have it mamma always rubs——" (! ! !)—Boston Herald.

At the Shore.

Polly—I wonder how Cholly manages to keep that wide-brimmed straw on in a wind like this.

Dolly—Vacuum pressure.—Judge.

There can be no greater mistake than to suppose that the man with $1,000,000 is a million times happier than the man with one dollar.

The secret of life is not to do what one likes, but to try to like that which one has to do; and one does like it—in time.—D. M. Craik.

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There's solid satisfaction and delightful refreshment in a glass of

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Served with Sugar and a little Lemon.

Postum contains the natural food elements of field grains and is really a food drink that relieves fatigue and quenches the thirst.

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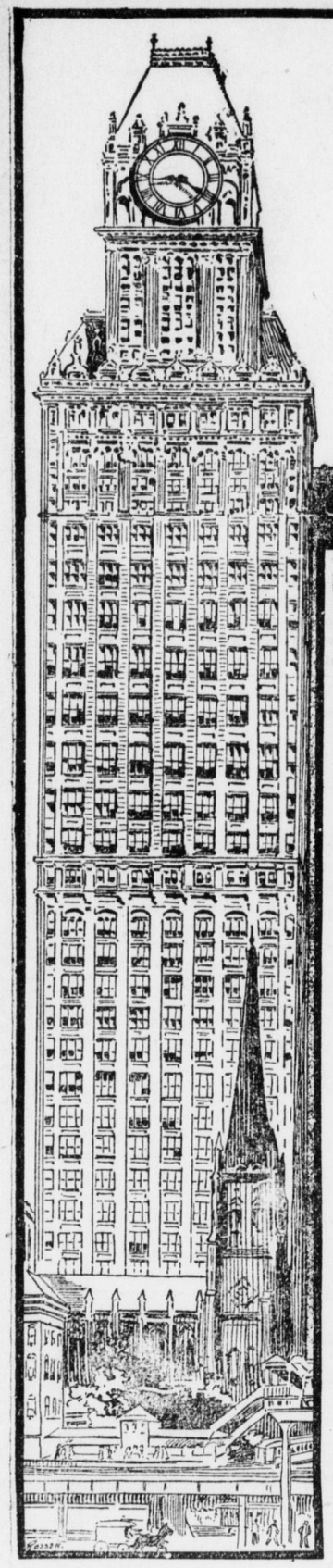

Skyscraper City

THE mayor of Skyscraper City had been laboring the whole day with many of the problems that devolved upon him as one responsible for the welfare of ten or twelve thousand people. All these had been problems different from those which commonly arise in the administration of the affairs of a municipality. In the first place, Skyscraper city had no unemployed to provide for. It had no prisons, no poorhouses, no hospitals, nor any of the many other public institutions that are part of the average American city. And, furthermore, it was not periodically rent by political strife.

The population, nevertheless, was a most exacting one and in this respect Skyscraper City was unlike the average American municipality. In most communities the people will stand idly by and see the politicians divide the loot of officeholding without even looking to their personal interests. In Skyscraper City, however, let a window be broken, let the voice of a radiator be raised in plaintive protest against too much steam, or let the water supply be affected by too little pressure and the mayor is instantly besieged by angry constituents demanding this or that official's removal from office.

These were some of the annoyances that had wearied Skyscraper City's chief magistrate. Even while he sat back in his chair, gazing at the ceiling and pondering upon the designs in the decorations, the chief of police walked in and announced that he was so unfavorably impressed with the people at No. 1511 Fifteenth street that he would recommend their enforced departure.

"They are always breaking some law or other," he exclaimed indignantly, "and I want to get rid of them. They haven't paid their taxes, either, for the last month, and, what's more, they have a barrel of gasolene in their possession, which is a violation of the law."

So a writ of deportation was issued and the chief of police withdrew exultantly, making way for the head of the health board.

"In Tenth street," said that dignitary, "I find there is a leak in the sewer pipe. I am having the sanitary squad remedy it."

The mayor was still endeavoring to determine which individual design in the ceiling would hit him on the nose were it to fall, or which particular design his nose would hit if he were to rise and meet the ceiling, and the health board officer went out.

And then the fire chief came in with a grievance, and the head of the department of water, gas and electricity and other officials. So the whole day passed, and so does the whole year pass for the mayor of Skyscraper City.

"A strange sort of place indeed, this city," you will say. "Where is it?" Skyscraper City, to enlighten you, is a ubiquitous community located in every part of the United States where land has become so valuable that, instead of capitalists building over a large area, they build in a limited space, and straight toward the clouds. In plain words, it is none other than the great modern skyscraper, with its population as great, in many cases, as that of a third class municipality.

"But the mayor," you will say. "Who ever heard of a mayor of a building?"

Yes, the mayor. You have heard of a superintendent of a building, and if the superintendent of a skyscraper housing from five to twelve thousand people has not as much right to the title of mayor as the chief executive of a community of, say one thousand, spread along a couple of streets, where the city limits are marked out by fence rails and stone walls, then the United States is not a democratic country.

Building operations can't go on with the spirit of emulation that now holds between contractors without the Skyscraper City of a few years hence being in sore need of a real municipal administration, with a mayor, aldermen and all the other public servants that make annual elections necessary. It has them all now under different names.

There are, for instance, the members of the health department, which sanitary body consists of a corps of able bodied women, equipped with mops and pails and compelling voices. That corps of women alone is sufficient to suggest an analogy between Skyscraper City and a representative American municipality, and should give the former a lasting right to the name of a thriving city.

Policemen on Patrol.

Then there are the members of the police department, whose main duty in the suppression of criminality is to see that no one walks off with any part of the building or its contents. These are the watchmen, who patrol continuously night and day, and the main differences between them and the police of your recognized city are that they are paid less and are, perhaps, not subject to periodical charges of graft. Nor do they have to parade for composed of the electricians and as-who stand out in the sun, doffing their hats and smiling approvingly, the while patting each other on the back in appreciation of the department they have developed.

What more heroic and picturesque body is there than the fire department, with its red shirted or blue-shirted, or any other color shirted, men, ready and eager to grapple with flames or anything else, under any conditions and at every moment? In Skyscraper City the fire department consists of an efficient band of men as well trained as the firemen of a large municipality and equipped with all the latest devices for combating flames.

And there is the department of water, gas and electricity, the latter composed of the elecricians and assistants in the engine room. These large buildings do not depend upon outside sources for their electricity. They have thoroughly equipped plants for manufacturing their own. As far as the water department is concerned, one New York skyscraper has a pumping station that is capable of supplying sufficient water to furnish a city of 350,000 people.

Now here is where the similarity between the skyscraper and the recognized city is made strongly apparent. Skyscraper City often has within its boundaries establishments which can supply every need of a hungry, thirsty, dirty, naked citizen.

No need to die of starvation were you to be confined for life in Skyscraper City while its restaurants are able to get a dinner together. Its cafe would banish all fear of longing for something to render the throat and stomach more comfortable without hope of receiving it. Its haberdashery and tailor could clothe you in the latest fashion; its shoe store would attend to the task of keeping your feet well shod. Its baths would be ever ready to open their arms to you. Your every want for things procurable only in a confectioner's shop would be filled, while you would merely have to go downstairs should you feel that your happiness might be enhanced by a fragrant cigar. The fruit stand is on the main floor, left.

Suddenly in the course of a busy afternoon the confectionery which you might have bought at Skyscraper City's progressive shop might cause some restlessness on the part of your teeth. You merely have to go to 12th street, which is Skyscraper City's twelfth floor, and have the trouble remedied by the dentist. Or perhaps some fruit from the stand below might result in a little disturbance in your interior mechanism; you will find a doctor on 8th street. An occasion might arise where you might require the services of a lawyer—a bad account or any of the many little things that simply will crop up in everyday life. Skyscraper City just swarms with these eminent practitioners. The law will always be sure of interpreters so long as Skyscraper City rears upward.

Population Over 10,000.

All the stores in this "city" are located in Main street—nothing unusual for municipalities of its size. In one particular case this street is more than three hundred feet in length, and is traversed daily by thousands of people. More than twelve hundred residences are located in this "city," each being labelled on the front door with the name of the inhabitant and his business. These residences are specifically termed offices, and each one is visited a number of times during the day by the postman. Of course, it would take one postman a good many hours to cover the entire route of the "city." Consequently the streets are divided into territories, so Skyscraper City may be said to have its own postoffice department. In this particular "city" one street is inhabitated by more than seven hundred people. This "city" has forty-one streets, the entire population being more than ten thousand.

There is one thing in this same city of which the inhabitants may well be proud. It is the transportation system. It consists of twenty-three elevators, the combined capacity being about ten thousand people an hour. Transportation in these cases is both quick and safe. There is no mortality in connection with this transit system. An elevator in one of the latest of New York's skscraper municipalities travels 548 feet into the air, all the way up to the fortieth street, and this without the inconvenience of changing cars, which is more than can be said of New York City's car lines at times. These elevators can carry twenty-five hundred pounds at a speed of six hundred feet a minute, which means rising with some rapidity.

Again, in the method of summoning the fire department or the police department the similitude between a municipality and Skyscraper City is maintained. In the big cities, when a policeman is desirous of bringing about a meeting between some recreant citizens and the judge at the court he summons an appropriate conveyance by ringing up headquarters from a little box on the corner. The fire department may be required, and it is similarly called. In one Skyscraper City in Chicago there is a system of signals, possible of operation from any part of the premises, which permits of an official getting in touch with his subordinates at any instant. And so far as the postal department is concerned, there is the letter chute, running to every floor, which might be said to correspond to the letter boxes installed at various points throughout American cities.

So the immense building operations of the times are surrounding residents of real cities with these twentieth century municipalities, with all the officers and laws, in different form, of a regularly chartered city. There is nothing missing, not even the facilities for traveling home from work, without leaving the confines of the buildings, for some of these skyscrapers have private entrances to subway and elevated lines. And all must not necessarily be work here any more than in any other city. If the inhabitants of this modern institution wish to take recreation some Skyscraper cities afford an opportunity by having palm gardens laid out on the roof.

Quite True.

Bill—He says his books are his best friends.

Jill—Well, he can turn 'em down when he gets tired of 'em without offending 'em.—Yonkers Statesman.

All Are Sinful.

We are all sinful. Therefore whatever we blame in another we shall find in our own bosoms.—Seneca.

PROMINENT PEOPLE

GOVERNOR STUBBS OF KANSAS

Governor Walter Roscoe Stubbs, who was renominated at the Republican primaries of the state, has had a short career in politics, compared with most leaders. It is only seven years since he began to interest himself at all actively in public affairs, and now the governor's ambition is to succeed Senator Charles Curtis, whose term expires in March, 1913, and whose successor will be chosen two years hence.

Stubbs is red headed, like that other insurgent leader of Kansas Republicans, Victor Murdock. Red hair means energy. Oddly enough, he comes of Quaker stock. His parents, who lived in Richmond, Ind., when he was born, were very poor. Now fifty-two years old, the governor is wealthy as a result of many years of hard work as a contractor, mostly in railroad building. Thus he has an intimate acquaintance with one feature of railroad affairs, the cost of new lines.

A big man physically, Stubbs has a face that is often boyishly emotional, though it can change into granite hardness when his fighting spirit is aroused. His talk is homely and direct. He frankly admits that he is ambitious to go high in politics. He has hardly any "book learning," and he does not pretend to have any. He has been, however, a very good friend to the state's educational institutions and appreciates education.

Stubbs began his political career in 1903 by going to the legislature. In 1904 he became chairman of the Republican state committee and remained such for four years. He nominated Edward Wallis Hoch for governor, after Hoch had refused to accept the nomination. Stubbs hired two good talkers to use the long-distance telephone from Topeka on every farmer in the state who had a phone in his home. It cost a good deal of money, but Stubbs was satisfied with the result. "They wouldn't have worried about a letter," he said, "but when they got a long-distance call they knew that meant something."

CARDINAL GIBBONS AT 76

James, Cardinal Gibbons, who recently celebrated the seventy-sixth anniversary of his birth, is noted among churchmen and is head of the Roman Catholic hierarchy in the United States. He was born in Baltimore, but at an early age was taken by his parents to their former home in Ireland, where his education began. Upon returning to the United States he lived for a while in New Orleans. He studied first at St. Charles college and later at St. Mary's seminary in Baltimore, and in 1861 he was ordained to the priesthood. In a short time he was made private secretary to Archbishop Spalding and chancellor of the archdiocese. In 1863 he was raised to the episcopate and in 1877 was created coadjutor archbishop of Baltimore. A few months later he succeeded to the see, and on June 30, 1886, he was invested with the insignia of cardinal. Cardinal Gibbons presided at the third national council of the church, held in Baltimore in 1884. He has written books and pamphlets on religious subjects and is noted for his charitable work.

In the course of a general conversation with the cardinal recently, the subject of divorce came up and he at once opened up on it with all his batteries. The evils of divorce are ever uppermost in his thoughts. "Divorce is a canker which is eating into the very vitals of our life," he said in the interview, in which he also urged young men to enter politics. "Society—our whole civilization uprears itself upon the sanctity of the home and the unity of the family. When you attack the family you attack government itself. And government to protect and perpetuate itself must expunge from its statutes the criminal divorce laws which the best of our life abhors.

"I pray for he time when men and women may be persuaded to understand the seriousness of marriage. Regardless of religious convictions, they should understand that they are entering upon a contract which is not of a day or a month, but of a lifetime. They should know that they must bear and forbear. The husband cannot pull one way and the wife another. They must pull in the traces together."

WILL GIVE AWAY MILLIONS

With the announcement that John D. Rockefeller, Jr., has resigned from the directorate of the Standard Oil company and has relinquished other large business interests to assume charge of the work of giving away his father's vast fortune, a new public interest in this young man has arisen. Now thirty-three years old, he has been looked upon for many years as the heir apparent of the elder Rockefeller's habits of acquisitiveness and frugality. His talks to his Sunday school class have been keenly watched and reported in the newspapers, and their tone has been considered, by a good part of the public at least, that of unctuous, self-satisfied piety. But now everything is changed; both the father and the son are preparing to demonstrate their belief that "faith without works is void," and the works are to be great indeed if all that is promised of the Rockefeller Foundation shall be carried out.

October 1, 1901, Mr. Rockefeller married Abby Green Aldrich, daughter of Senator Nelson W. Aldrich of Rhode Island. The marriage, which took place in Providence, was a great society event, and was attended by 1,000 guests. The gifts were valued at $700,000. Three children have been born to Mr. and Mrs. Rockefeller.

Gradually the younger Rockefeller has been relinquishing his responsibilities as a director in large corporations. As a Sunday school teacher Mr. Rockefeller has been an utterer of many precepts for the guidance of his fellow young men. He has advised against living beyond one's means, against borrowing money on friendship, against drinking anything intoxicating, against shirking humble work, against discontent because of poverty, against sourfacedness, against timidity and several other things that have been the subjects of platitudes and homilies since religion began to be associated with morals.

There is nothing original in his remarks, though they undoubtedly are the outpourings of a sincere, if conventional, mind. His Sunday school class, naturally, has been filled with young men eager to learn the way to success.

WEDS A JAP WAR ADMIRAL

Miss Florence M. Roche, the only daughter of the late James Jeffrey Roche, the famous poet and author, was recently married in Boston to Read Admiral Henry Walton Grinell, formerly the "Yankee admiral" of the Japanese navy, and they are now touring Europe. They have been friends for years. The admiral was a friend of the young woman's father while he was editor of the Pilot. During last winter the two were brought together a great deal at St. Augustine and their long friendship strengthened by constant association, led to their engagement.

Miss Roche is about 25 years old and has lived in Boston virtually all her life up to the time that her father was appointed consul to Genoa by President Roosevelt in 1905, when she gave up her work and joined him. Mr. Roche died two years ago. Admiral Grinell entered the United States navy at an early age and rose to the rank of lieutenant.

Just before the Chinese-Japanese war Japan asked for an American naval officer in helping to build up and organize its navy. Grinell was made the choice of the navy board. He was given the rank of rear admiral by the Japanese government and remained in its employ for several years in an advisory capacity.

SOMETIMES.

Henderson—When a man marries he keeps his wife in dresses, hats, shoes—in fact, everything she needs. What does a wife keep her husband in?

Henpeck (absently)—Hot water.

Had Lost Faith In Doctors and Medicines

"I wish to thank you for the sample of Resinol Soap sent me several weeks ago," writes Mrs. M. F. Clemmer, Sunbury, Pa. "At that time my baby's face was like a raw and bleeding piece of meat. Medicine from three different physicians, besides various salves recommended by friends, all seemed to make the Eczema worse. Then another mother recommended Resinol Ointment which I procured at once, although I had no more faith in it than in the rest I had tried; but never did I spend fifty cents to better advantage. The first and second days I noticed a remarkable change, and now at the end of the third week, my pretty blue-eyed, rosy-cheeked baby is perfectly well again. I think the cure was surely something remarkable. Resinol Ointment and Soap did in three weeks what everything else failed to do in four months. My baby had been positively disfigured, now his complexion is all right again."

Resinol Ointment cures all skin troubles, from pimples to the most disfiguring eruptions and rashes. The first application stops the intense itching of Eczema, Itching Piles, Pruritus, etc., and subdues the pain of a burn or scald instantaneously. It is sold in every leading drug store in the world.

Booklet on Care of the Skin and Complexion sent free. Write for it. Resinol Chemical Co., Baltimore, Md.

A Bernhardt Trick.

Mme. Sarah Bernhardt, who is supposed to be something of an artist as well as an actress, was recently called upon in one of her marvelous creations to enact the role of a sculptor, and to model a certain bust in view of the audience. This fairly electrified the critics, but when going into rhapsodies over the technical skill in handling the clay which Mme. Bernhardt exhibited they showed that they knew little of the artistic tricks of actors and actresses; as a matter of fact, she does nothing of the kind. The bust is modeled and baked, and over it is placed damp clay of the same color. This the talented actress merely pulls off, exposing the beautifully modeled head underneath.

Try This, This Summer.

The very next time you're hot, tired or thirsty, step up to a soda fountain and get a glass of Coca-Cola. It will cool you off, relieve your bodily and mental fatigue and quench your thirst delightfully. At soda fountains or carbonated in bottles—5c everywhere. Delicious, refreshing and wholesome. Send to the Coca-Cola Co., Atlanta, Ga., for their free booklet "The Truth About Coca-Cola." Tells what Coca-Cola is and why it is so delicious, refreshing and thirst-quenching. And send 2c stamp for the Coca-Cola Baseball Record Book for 1910—contains the famous poem "Casey At The Bat," records, schedules for both leagues and other valuable baseball information compiled by authorities.

A New Version.

Lawyers have a peculiar system of abbreviation, such words as trustees, executors being cut down to trees, exors, and admors. This practise led to an amusing slip on the part of a solicitor, who, somewhat late in life, abandoned his profession and entered the church. A few Sundays after his ordination he startled his congregation while reading the lesson by delivering one of the passages as follows: "I see men as trustees walking."

Less Lavish.

"I saw 'Uncle Tom's Cabin' played recently."

"So?"

"I think I'll read the book."

"You may be disappointed. The book mentions only one little Eva and one Lawyer Marks."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

A Treasure.

"Your new maid looks very discreet."

"Indeed, she is. She even knocks at all the drawers before opening them."—Pele Mele.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.
For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

Better a nagless wife than a horseless carriage.

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HEED THF WARNING.

Many Emporium People Have Done So

When the kidneys are sick they give unmistakable warnings that should not be ignored. By examining the urine and treating the kidneys upon the first sign of disorder, many days of suffering may be saved. Sick kidneys expel a dark, ill-smelling urine, full of "brick-dust" sediment and paintul in passage. Sluggish kidneys cause a dull pain in the small of the back, headaches, dizzy spells, tried, languid feelings and frequently rheumatic twinges.

Doan's Kidney Pills are for kidneys only; they cure sick kidneys, and rid the blood of uric poison. If you suffer from any of the above symytoms you can use no better remedy.

Emporium people recommend Doan's Kidney Pills.

Mrs. E. L. Rendt, Fifth Street, Emporium, Pa., says: "For years kidney trouble kept me in misery. My back ached constantly and I could not rest well on account of the acute pains across my loins. My kidneys caused me much annoyance and I felt miserable in every way. Reading about Doan's Kidney Pills, I obtained a box from Taggart's Drug Store and commenced their use. Prompt relief was received and I now have no cause for complaint. I have often recommended Doan's Kidney Pills to other kidney sufferers."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents, Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Don't Break Down.

Severe strains on the vital organs, like strains on machinery, cause break-downs. You can't over-tax stomach, liver, kidneys, bowels, or nerves without serious danger to yourself. If you are weak or run-down, or under strain of any kind, take Electric Bitters the matchless, tonic medicine. Mrs. J. E. Van de Sande, of Kirkland, Ill-, writes: "That I did not break down, while enduring a most severe strain, for three months, is due wholly to Electric Bitters." Use them and enjoy health and strength. Satisfaction positively guaranteed. 50c, at all druggists.

Man Loses His Head.

Weak, anyway, and worried to death because he is not able to carry his work to success, a man will lose his head unless he restores himself with a tonic. Sexine Pills are the tonic that will restore any man or woman who is in a rundown condition. $1 a box, six boxes $5. Full guarantee. Address or call on R. C. Dodson, Druggist, Emporium, Pa., where they sell all the principal remedies and do not substitute.

It Saved His Leg.

"All thought I'd lose my leg, "writes J. A. Swensen, of Watertown, Wis. "Ten years of eczema, that 15 doctors could not cure, had at last laid me up. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured it, sound and well." Infallible for Skin Eruptions, Eczema, Salt Rheum, Boils, Fever Sores, Burns, Scalds, Cuts and Piles. 25c at all druggists.

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is to-day the best known medicine in use for the relief and cure of bowel complaints. It cures griping, diarrhoea, dysentery, and should be taken at the first unnatural looseness of the bowels. It is equally valuable for children and adults. It always cures. Sold by all dealers.

A Man of Iron Nerve.

Indomitable will and tremendous energy are never found where Stomach, Liver, Kidneys and Bowels are out of order. If you want these qualities and the success they bring, use Dr. King's New Life Pills, the matchless regulators, for keen brain and strong body, 25c at all druggists.

Latest Popular Music.

Miss May Gould, teacher of piano fort has received a full line of the lat est and most popular sheet music. All the popular airs. Popular and classical music. Prices reasonable.
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GRANGERS AT CENTRE HALL

For the Patrons of Husbandry Exhibition at Centre Hall, Pa. September 10 to 16, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell special excursion to Centre Hall from stations in Pennsylvania and from Baltimore and Elmira at reduced fares (minimum fare 25 cents). Tickets will be sold September 9 to 16; good to return to reach original starting point not later than September 19. 936-2t

SHORTER NEWS ITEMS

Pithy Paragraphs that Chronicle the Week's Doings.

Long Dispatches From Various Parts of the World Shorn of Their Padding and Only Facts Given In as Few Words as Possible For the Benefit of the Hurried Reader.

Thursday.

It was reported that the British Admiralty had decided to build a motor driven battleship; if the type should be success it would probably make all the present Dreadnoughts obsolete.

President Taft, it was announced in Beverly, is in favor of a further revision of the tariff; he has wirtten a letter to Congressman McKinley for publication in the Republican campaign textbook giving his views in detail.

Joseph C. Sibley, followng his withdrawal from the race for congress in the 28th Pennsylvania district, was arrested at Franklin, Pa., on a warrant charging him with "conspiracy to debauch voters'

Friday.

Ex-President Madriz, according to a dispatch received in Washington, is going from Amapala, Honduras, to Costa Rica.

Ambassador Kerens is endeavoring to induce Austria to open her frontier to American meat.

Moro chiefs, representing 40,000 inhabitants of Minandao, tendered their allegience to the Unite dStates, after 200 Filipinos at Zamboanga had presented a petition for the independence of the islands to Secretary Dickinson.

Russia has placed an order for $1,450,000 worth of artillery with the Creusot works in France; many members of the Duma are displeased with the contract.

Advices from the cholera-infected districts in Italy show decreases in both new cases and deaths.

Saturday.

Oswin King, an American, was arrested in Paris at the request of the Swiss authorities on a charge of swindling by passing forged checks.

The epidemic of Asiatic cholera in Italy is spreading; six towns reported from one to five deaths each and several new cases.

Interesting testimony about the leniency of the forest, fish and game commission in enforcing the game laws was brought out by Governor Hughes' representatives who are investigating the commission at Albany.

Six Pullman passengers were killed, five others were injured and eight escaped unhurt in a rear-end collision on the Grand Trunk railroad, near Durand, Mich.

Monday.

The speech of Emperor William of Germany at Koenigsberg has caused no alarm in France; fourth-fifths of the German newspapers adversely criticise his utterances regarding his divine right to rule.

Dr. Hawley H. Crippen and Miss Ethel Leneve arrived in Liverpool on the Megantic and were immediately taken to London; they were arraigned and lodged in cells at the Bow street police station.

Wyoming extended to Theodore Roosevelt a typical Wild West greeting when the former president visited Cheyenne and made a speech.

It was stated at Washington that the firing of big guns on the Northwest Pacific coast in an effort to bring on a rainfall to impede the spread of forest fires would be a waste of money.

Tuesday.

John B. Moissant attempted to cover the remaining 27 miles of his aeroplane trip from Paris to London, but his machine struck the ground soon after rising and was badly damaged.

Crowds visited the neighborhood of the Bow street prison, London, but failed to see Dr. Crippen or Miss Leneve; it is understood that the charge against the man will be wife murder and that the woman will be accused of being an accessory after the fact.

Eighteen new cases of cholera and 14 deaths were recorded in Italy in the last 24 hours.

Mayor Gaynor was removed from the hospital in Hoboken to his country home, at St. James, Long island.

Wednesday.

Dr. Crippen and Miss Leneve were arraigned in the Bow street police court, charged with the murder of Belle Elmore, and were remanded until Sept. 6.

General Juan Estrada assumed the presidency of Nicaragua and chose a cabinet; great crowds greeted him at Managua; many officials under Zelaya have been arrested.

Emperor William has commuted to two months the sentence of imprisonmen imposed on Henry Schultheis of New York.

Pope Pius, according to a report from Rome, will name nine cardinals, one of them an American, at a consistory in November.

A dispatch from St. Petersburg said that Russia intended to build four Dreadnoughts for service in the Black sea.

News Snapshots Of the Week

Destitute, the once famous actress, May Yohe, possessor of the Hope diamond, divorced wife of Lord Francis Hope and Putnam Bradlee Strong, broke down in a San Francisco cafe, where she was an entertainer. Despite efforts of rangers and soldiers, forest fires wrought havoc in the northwest, killing hundreds and making thousands homeless. Above map shows route ex-President Roosevelt is traveling. Republican leader, William Barnes, Jr., was threatened by Roosevelt with fight at coming New York state convention. Copper King F. Augustus Heinze announced he would marry Miss Bernice G. Henderson, actress, in September. Revolutionists routed President Madriz's forces, entering Managua, Nicaragua's capital; General Juan Estrada now controls government.

When Merit Wins.

When the medicine you take cures your disease, tones up your system and makes you feel better, stronger and more vigorous than befere, That is what Foley Kidney Pills do for you, in all cases of backache, headache, nervousness, loss of appetite, sleeplessness and general weakness that is caused by any disorder of the kidney or bladder. For sale by Emporium Drug Co.

Your kidney trouble may be of long standing, it may be either acute or chronic, but whatever it is Foley's Kidney Remedy will aid you to get rid of it quickly and restore your natural health and vigor. "One bottle of Foley's Kidney Remedy made me well," said J. Sibbull, of Grand View, Wis. Commence taking it now. For sale by Emporium Drug Co

A Reliable Medicin—eNot a Nar-cotic

Mrs. F. Marti, St. Joe, Mich., says Foley's Honey and Tar saved her little boy's life. She writes: "Our little boy contracted a severe bronchial trouble and as the doctor's medicine did not cure him, I gave him Foley's Honey and Tar in which I have great faith. It cured the cough as well as the choking and gagging spells, and he got well in a short time. Foley's Honey and Tar has many times saved us much trouble and we are never without it in the house." For sale by Emporium Drug Co.

For Sale.

Farm situated six miles from Lock Haven, 115 acres. Good house, good barn, 60 acres cleared, balance in timber, Good apple orchard, good peach orchard, at a bargain, $1600; $1000 down, balance two years with interest at 5 per cent. Must be sold to close estate.

J. H. FREDERICKS,
120 E. Main St., Lock Haven, Pa.

The Lash of a Fiend

would have been about as welcome to A. Cooper, of Oswego, N. Y., as a merciless lung-racking cough that defied all remedies for years. "It was most troublesome at night," he writes, "nothing helped me till I used Dr. King's New Discovery which cured me completely. I never cough at night now." Millions know its matchless merit for stubborn colds, obstinate coughs, sore lungs, lagrippe, asthma, hemorrhage, croup, whooping cough, or hayfever. It relieves quickly and never fails to satisty. A trial convinces 50c, $1.00. Trial bottle free- It's positively guaranteed by all druggists.

Automobile for Sale Cheap.

Ten horse power Cadilac Automobile in first class shape,with detachable toneau, Will demonstrate at any time.
27tf. E. J. SMITH.

MONEY THAT TALKS BACK

THERE'S a lot of money here and in this vicinity. Possessors of that money read this paper; they swear by it. They want to be shown. If your goods are right, they want to buy. This paper talks to that money at regular intervals. It's money that talks back and talks back strong. Get your share—do your talking through our advertising columns.

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MARRIED.

MYERS—HESS. At the parsonage of the Methodist Episcopal Church on Saturday evening last, by the pastor, Rev. J. F. Anderson, were united in marriage, Mr. David L. Myers and Miss Sarah J. Hess, both of Williamsport, Pa. Several of their friends from Emporium witnessed the ceremony.

Mrs. Jacob Winmert, Lincoln, Ill., found her way back to perfect health. She writes: "I suffered with kidney trouble and backache and my appetite was very poor at times. A few week's ago I got Foley's Kidney Pills and gave them a fair trial. They gave me great relief, so continued till now I am again in perfect health." For sale by Emporium Drug Co.

The Gratitude of Elderly People.

Goes out to whatever helps give them ease; comfort and strength. Foley Kidney Pills cure kidney and bladder diseases promptly, and give comfort and relief to elderly people. For sale by Emporinm Drug Co.

The Trying Summer Heat

It's very wearing on your system and upsets most constitutions. Overcome the enervating hot weather and

Take a Bottle of Beef, Iron and Wine

A stimulating and tonic medicine that aids the system by building new tissues and preventing a wasting of nerve energy.

Make Your System Right Before Fall 50 Cents Per Bottle

The Old Reliable Drug Store
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New Firm!

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Popular Peoples' Store

ROBERT WALTER G.
Clark & Morrison

Who are now in charge of the well known E. A. Hughes store, so successfully conducted on Chestnut street. We do not expect to set the world on fire, yet we shall aim to give our customers, one and all A SQUARE DEAL.

Our Groceries and Meats are Choice and Reasonable

CLARK & MORRISON.

The Churches.

FIRST METHODIST EPISCOPAL.
REV. J. F. ANDERSON, Pastor.

"Labor Day" sermon Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock, by the pastor, sermon also at 7:30 p. m., subject, "Improper Ends of Prosperity." All other regular services of the day will be observed.

EMMANUEL CHURCH.
REV. M. L. TATE, Rector.

The Friday evening services will be resumed next Friday evening, Sept. 2nd, at 7:30 o'clock.

The following services will be held next Sunday, the Fifteenth Sunday after Trinity. There will be a celebration of the Holy Communion at 10:30 o'clock. The theme of the sermon will be "Man's First Duty." Sunday School will convene at 12 o'clock. Evening prayer and sermon at 7:30. The series of sermons on the Lord's prayer is being continued. The subject will be, "The Will of God."

Strangers are always welcome at Emmanuel church.

Not a minute should be lost when child symptoms of croup. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough appears, will prevent the attack. Sold by all dealers.

Your complexion as well as your temper is rendered miserable by a disordered liver. By taking Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets you can improve both. Sold by all dealers.

Don't waste your money buying plasters when you can get a bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment for twenty-five cents. A piece of flannel dampened with this liniment is superior to any plaster for lame back, pains in the side and chest. and much cheaper. Sold by all dealers.

"Can be depended upon" is an expression we all like to hear, and when it is used in connection with Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy it means that it never fails to cure diarrhoea. dysentery or bowel complaints. It is pleasant to take and equally valuable for children and adults. Sold by all dealers.

See the Point

You may get shoes for less money—a few cents less. But you can't get shoes of EQUAL VALUE for less. We know that because we buy shrewdly, and sell on a small profit margin.

Home of Hart, Shaffner & Marx Clothes

Jasper Harris,

The People's Clothing House
Opposite Post Office, EMPORIUM, PA.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD

Bulletin.

SEPTEMBER AT THE SEASHORE.
REDUCED FARES ACCOUNT G.A.R. ENCAMPMENT

The ocean rolling with its boundless prospect is ever interesting; but at no time is it more enticing than during month of September. The bathing is at its best. The sailing is ideal. The salt sea air is charged with increased invigoration, and there is geniality about it unknown during the torid days of summer.

Atlantic City, Ocean City, Sea Isle City, Avalon, Stone Harbor, Angelesea, Wildwood, Holly Beach, Wildwood Crest, and Cape May are all prepared to entertain with exceptional hospitality all guests who may come. The hotels are less crowded and more comfortable; the service is better and in most instances the rates are lower.

The train service of the Pennsylvania Railroad to all these resorts will be found convenient and comprehensive.

Excursion tickets to Atlantic City will be sold at reduced fares on September 16, 17, 18, 19 and 20, on account of the G. A. R. National Encampment, good returning to reach original starting point not later than September 28. For stop-over privileges and extension of return limit, to October 28, consult Ticket Agents.

Unusual enjoyment awaits the September sojourner by the sea. 887-29-2t

Thirty Years in Pharmacy in Emporium

Nearly 11,000 days —a lifetime— Catering to the wants of yourselves and your families during such a span of time in a strictly conscientious manner, I have built a a reputation for dispensing "Just what the Physician has ordered" and nothing else.

Your Prescriptions and Family Recipes are my Especial Care.

R. C. DODSON.

LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

PERSONAL GOSSIP.

Contributions invited. That which you would like to see in this department, let us know by postal card, letter or personally.

W. G. Bair made a business trip to Sterling Run, the last of the week.

Robert Weiman called on friends at Ridgway for a short time last Saturday.

G. Carlton Smith, of Sterling Run, was a business caller at Emporium last Friday.

Max Spence has accepted a position at the Cameron Powder plant, at Sinnamahoning.

R. K. Mickey is spending the week transacting business at Philadelpia and New York City.

Miss Verena Hertig has returned to Emporium, having spent about ten days at Atlantic City.

Miss Mary Blumle went to St. Marys last Friday afternoon, where she spent a few days with friends.

Miss Nellie O'Keefe, of Sterling Run, was guest at the home of J. Willis Gaskill and wife last Saturday.

Ben Sykes, of Galeton, Pa , is spending the week in town, taking in the sights and transacting business.

Miss Emma Tebo, of St. Marys, was guest at the home of her parents at this place, the last of the week.

Ben J. Erskine was a business caller at St. Marys last Friday, returning to Emporium on the evening train.

Amos Kresge and wife, of DuBois, were in Emporium for a short time last Friday, renewing old acquaintances.

Mrs. C. W. Powers, of Chicago, *nee* Miss Mayme Henessey, is spending a short time guest of relatives at this place.

Mrs. Kathryn Bush is spending the week with relatives at Driftwood and DuBois, having left last Saturday afternoon.

Lynn Strayer has returned to State College having left home last Monday morning. Lynn will enter the senior class this year.

Mrs. James Mulcahy, who had been spending a short time, guest of her mother at Driftwood, returned to Emporium, last Saturday.

Mrs. David Tilton and Miss Sue Shoot, of Driftwood, were guests of relatives and friends at this place, last Friday and Saturday.

J. B. Nivens, of Williamsport, made his regular monthly business trip to this place, the last of the week, and was guest at Commercial Hotel.

Miss Elizabeth Ludlam went to Cleveland, Ohio, last Friday, to be absent for about two weeks, where she will buy her fall stock in millinery.

Miss Martha McVain, who has been guest of Miss Mabel Cummings at her home on South Broad Street, returned to her homes at Pittsburg, last Saturday morning.

Miss Ximena Brooks, of Sinnamahoning, was in Emporium a short time on Saturday. Miss Brooks will teach in the High School again this coming year.

Miss Margaret Murray, one of the genial sales ladies in the department store of Mr. R. Kuehne, is enjoying ten days vacation, visiting relatives and friends at Olean and Buffalo.

Mrs. Ralph Kautz went to Kane last Friday morning, where she spent a few days guest at the home of her sister. Mr. Kautz went to Kane Saturday morning and they returned to Emporium Sunday evening.

Mrs. R. J. Rogers, Mrs. Byres Gitchill and daughter Helen, and Grover Hogan, arrived in Emporium to-day, the latter having spent the summer guest of his sister, Mrs. Gitchill, at Binghamton, N. Y. Mesdames Rogers and Gitchill will remain in this place for a few weeks guests at the home of M. T. Hogan and family, Fourth street.

Joe Wortman was guest of his mother at St. Marys over Sunday.

A. B Brewer, of Ridgway, transacted business in Emporium last Friday.

Chas. McGuire, of Hornell, N. Y., called on friends at this place last Sunday.

Misses Elizabeth and Carolyn Lechner spent a few hours at Cameron last Sunday.

D. P. Baird, of Sinnamahoning, was in Emporium last Monday, and transacted business.

I. S. Gunsberg, of Renovo, was in Emporium on a business mission last Friday and Saturday.

Dr. Owaroff, the new physician at Sinnamahohing, was in Emporium for a short time last Monday.

Fred J. Keim, Jr., of the Emporium Drug Company, was a business caller at Sinnamahoning on Sunday.

Miss Kate Murray went to St. Marys on Saturday afternoon, where she was guest of her sister, over Sunday.

Chas. H. Felt was a business caller a Port Allegany last Friday, in the interests of the Emporium Milling Company.

J. D. Burnes, of Kane, Pa., was in Emporium a short time on Monday calling on friends and attending to business.

F. H. Dornish, one of the busy men of St. Marys, was in this place last Monday and transacted business between trains.

Misses Mary and Berndetta Cole, of Curwensville, are guests at the home of Postmaster Charles Seger and family, Fourth street.

Mrs. J. E. Green, of Muncy, Ind., is being entertained as guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. Edward Dow Armstrong, Sixth street.

F. R. Paterson, who has been guest at the home of Mrs. Helen Metzger and family, returned to his home at Baltimore, on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John G. Younge, of Williamsport, were guests at the home of E. Mead Floyd and wife, Sixth street, the first of the week.

W. G. Gilbert, of Rochester, N. Y., was in Emporium last Friday. Mr. Gilbert came to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. Chas Howard.

Mrs. Catharine Murray who spent a few days with her daughter at St. Marys last week, returned to her home at this place on Friday.

Misses Charlotte and Anna Rentz and Helen Welsh, who spent some time in Williamsport, returned to Emporium last Saturday afternoon.

Everett Pierson, of St. Marys, came to Emporium last Saturday and attended the corn roast of the Union Friendly Society on Saturday evening.

Mrs. S. H. McDonough and daughter, Miss Rose, returned to Emporium last Friday, after spending ten days at Buffalo, N. Y., where they were guests of relatives.

Miss Ethel Hisler, of Freeport, Ill., spent a few days last week at Emmanuel Rectory, guest of Rev. M. L. Tate and family. Miss Hisler being a cousin of Mrs. Tate.

Messrs. Harry and Milton Neidlinger, of Tower City, Pa., are being entertained as guests at the home of their brother, George Neidlinger and wife, Cherry street.

Mrs. J. J. Doroughty, of Coudersport, accompanied by three children, were guests of Miss Margaret Kelley last Saturday. They were enroute for their home from Ridgway.

Dr. Carl L. Felt, of Philadelphia, is spending the week in Emporium where he is being entertained as guest of his brothers, J. Paul Felt and Dr. Leon R. Felt and other relatives.

Harry Arnold, who has been guests at the homes of Mrs. I. Overhiser and other relatives for the past ten days, returned to his home at Nickerson, Kansas, last Monday morning.

Mrs. Baldwin and Mr. Eldridge, the State Sunday School workers, who attended the County Convention here last week, went to Lock Haven, where they were the speakers at another convention.

Miss Clark, who is doing mission work in New York City, among the foreigners, and who spoke in Emporium during the Sabbath School Convention addressed the people of Driftwood and Sinnamahoning last Sunday.

Miss Lillian Heilman, who has received the appointment as teacher in the public schools at Globe, Arizona, departed for that place on Tuesday for Buffalo, where she spent a day guest of her brother Fred. Miss Heilman will probably teach in the west for two years.

Mrs. Auchu and daughters, the Misses Edna and Ellen and son Will, accompanied by J. H. Stephens, autoed to Coudersport the last of the week and were guests at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Addison Stephens.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cush, of Pittsburg, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Wiley and Mr. W. S. Walker, of Austin, were in Emporium last Friday, having come here to attend the funeral of Mrs. Howard. Mr. Cush and wife were visiting at the home of the form's parents, when the sad death occurred.

Franklin Housler transacted business in Buffalo Tuesday and Wednesday.

M. E. Mulligan, of Renovo, spent a few hours at this place last Sunday.

R. H. Hirsch and son Herman took in the sights at Buffalo on Tuesday.

S. P. Kreider, of Driftwood, was a bnsiness caller at the county seat on Monday.

J. E. Smith, of Sterling Run, was a business caller at this place on Wednesday.

Miss Hilda Hertig is enjoying the week camping with a party of friends on Lake Cuba.

Fred K. Zimmer, of Gardeau, was in Emporium on a business mission the first of the week.

Miss Anna Lynch, of Renovo, visited her sister Mrs. O. Proudfoot on Thursday and Friday last.

W. S. Manly, of Elmira, N. Y., came to Emporium on a business mission the first of the week.

Fred E. Haswell, of Williamsport, was a business caller at Emporium, on Tuesday and Wednesday.

H. C. Park, Ridgway's noted architect, transacted business at this place between trains on Tuesday.

J. H. Mulcahy made the PRESS office a business call, Wednesday morning and renewed his subscription.

H. O. Martin, of New York City, representing a medical house, was in this place, on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. John Cummings and Mr. James P. Creighton went to Ridgway, Wednesday and called on relatives.

Miss Eva Leet has accepted the position as assistant book-keeper in the office of the Cameron Powder Company.

Robert Boyer, of Cameron, was circulating among friends at this place on Wednesday and transacting business.

A. D. Moon, of Port Allegany, was a social and business caller at Emporium, Tuesday, guest at Commercial House.

Mrs. Dorsey Spangler, of New York City, formerly of Driftwood, was guest of Miss Julia "Budd" Hogan on Tuesday evening.

Miss Inez Harris, of Coudersport, is being entertained as guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Harris, Fifth street.

Frank Cavanaugh, of Allegheny, Pa., is guest at the home of his sister, Mrs. John Trebswether and family, Fourth street.

J. H. Stephens, of the Stephens Hardware Company, was a business caller at Coudersport on Tuesday, in the interest of his firm.

Mrs. John Montgomery and Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Bradshaw, of Beechwood, were entertained as guests of friends at this place on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Meisel, formerly of this place. but now of Colegrove, Pa., were circulating among old friends at this place on Wednesday.

J. VanLengerke, of New York City, was a business caller at Emporium on Wednesday, in connection with the Keystone National Powder Company.

Philip Knight, of Corry, is visiting in town. Mr. Knight was a former resident of Emporium and his old friends are glad to meet him.

Mrs. W. S. Swartwood and children are spending the week at Sinnamahoning, where they are being entertained as guests at the home of relatives.

H. A. Cox and family returned to Emporium, last Saturday afternoon, after spending about ten days with relatives at Williamsport and Salladasburg.

Mrs. Viola Beard, who has spent several days guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Wright, returned to her home at Lebanon, Pa., on Tuesday morning.

Miss Beulah Cramer, who has been entertained as guest at the home of the Misses Auchu for several weeks went to her home at Williamsport, Monday afternoon.

A letter received from Mr. J. A. Johnston, of 48 Wadsworth street, Buffalo, N. Y., states they are all well and send their regards to their many Cameron county friends.

Messrs. Frank Malloy, of Clearfield and B. P. McNulty, of Ridgway, who have business interests at Emporium made a business call to Sizerville the the first of the week.

Mrs. Edith Dominges and little son, who have been guests at the home of C. G. Catlin and family for the past month, departed for their home at Philadelphia, last Saturday evening.

Chas. W. Rishell, accompanied by his brother George, of Erie, took in the sights at Atlantic City last Friday and Saturday. It is reported the tide went out when they waded into the big pond.

Mrs. Henry Auchu and daughters, the Misses Edna and Ellen, left for Buffalo and an extended trip through Canada, on Tuesday morning. They will visit the Shrine of St. Ann, while on their Canadian trip.

Misses Elizabeth and Anna Yahn, of Olean, were guests at the home of Hon. F X. Blumle and family the first of the week. The ladies were enroute for their home after spending a short time at Atlantic City.

Henry Wheaton has moved his family to Sinnamahoning where he is employed at the Cameron Powder Co., plant.

Mrs. W. H. Lapham and children, of Fillmore, N. Y., are guests at the home of her father, E. W. Gaskill and daughter.

Miss Sadie Edwards has returned to Emporium after an extended visit with relatives at Williamsport and other eastern points.

Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Mickey and son left Emporium this (Thursday) morning for an extended visit with relatives at Cleveland and other western points.

Carl Hackett and wife, of Dundee, Illinois, visited in town last week, guest of Mr. H's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Hackett and family. Third street.

Mrs. O. D. Miller and son Reginald, of Olean, are visiting in town guests at the home of the former's parents, Mr. ann Mrs. T. N. Hackett and family, Third street.

Miss Stewart, of Cameron, and guest, Mrs. Burlingame, of Detroit, called on friends at this place the first of the week and were guests at the City Hotel.

Miss Lizzie Levan, who has been entertained as guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. W. H. Welsh for the past month, returned to her home at Turbotsville, this (Thursday) morning.

Chas. E. Crandell returned to Emporium Wednesday afternoon, after enjoying a ten day's vacation. Mr. Crandell has resumed his position as teller at the First National Bank.

Misses Nora and Loretta Sullivan returned to their home in Ridgway, Wednesday after a week's visit with their aunt Mrs. Wm. Haley. They are bright and interesting little ladies and made many friends during their visit here.

Mrs. J. D. Alden is guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Shugart, Wood street. Mrs. Alden has just returned from Washington, D. C., where she has been with her husbaud.

Joseph T. Drum, of Laquin, transacted business in Emporium last Friday and made the PRESS office a call, renewing his subscription for another year. Mr Drum is always prompt in this matter, paying strictly in advance.

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SYNOPSIS.

Miss Innes, spinster and guardian of Gertrude and Halsey, established summer headquarters at Sunnyside. Amidst numerous difficulties the servants deserted. As Miss Innes locked up for the night, she was startled by a dark figure on the veranda. She passed a terrible night, which was filled with unseemly noises. In the morning Miss Innes found a strange link cuff button in a clothes hamper. Gertrude and Halsey arrived with Jack Bailey. The house was awakened by a revolver shot. A strange man was found shot to death, in the hall. It proved to be the body of Arnold Armstrong, whose banker father owned the country house. Miss Innes found Halsey's revolver on the lawn. He and Jack Bailey had disappeared. The link cuff button mysteriously disappeared. Detective Jamieson and the coroner arrived. Gertrude revealed that she was engaged to Jack Bailey, with whom she had talked in the billiard room a few moments before the murder. Jamieson told Miss Innes that she was hiding evidence from him. He imprisoned an intruder in an empty room. The prisoner escaped down a laundry chute. It developed that the intruder was probably a woman. Gertrude was suspected, for the intruder left a print of a bare foot. Gertrude returned home with her right ankle sprained. A negro found the other half of what proved to be Jack Bailey's cuff button. Halsey suddenly reappeared. He said he and Bailey had left because they had received a telegram. Gertrude said that she had given Bailey an unloaded revolver, fearing to give him Halsey's loaded weapon.

CHAPTER IX.—Continued.

They stared at each other across the big library table, with young eyes all at once hard, suspicious. And then Gertrude held out both hands to him appealingly.

"We must not," she said brokenly. "Just now, with so much at stake, it—is shameful. I know you are as ignorant as I am. Make me believe it, Halsey."

Halsey soothed her as best he could, and the breach seemed healed. But long after I went to bed he sat downstairs in the living room alone, and I knew he was going over the case as he had learned it. Some things were clear to him that were dark to me. He knew, and Gertrude, too, why Jack Bailey and he had gone away that night, as they did. He knew where they had been for the last 48 hours, and why Jack Bailey had not returned with him. It seemed to me that without fuller confidence from both the children—they are always children to me—I should never be able to learn anything.

As I was finally getting ready for bed, Halsey came upstairs and knocked at my door. When I had got into a negligee—I used to say wrapper before Gertrude came back from school—I let him in. He stood in the doorway a moment, and then he went into agonies of silent mirth. I sat down on the side of the bed and waited in severe silence for him to stop, but he only seemed to grow worse. When he had recovered he took me by the elbow and pulled me in front of the mirror.

"'How to be beautiful,'" he quoted. "'Advice to maids and matrons, by Beatrice Fairfax!'" And then I saw myself. I had neglected to remove my wrinkle eradicators, and I presume my appearance was odd. I believe that it is a woman's duty to care for her looks, but it is much like telling a necessary falsehood—one must not be found out. By the time I got them off Halsey was serious again, and I listened to his story.

"Aunt Ray," he began, extinguishing his cigarette on the back of my ivory hair-brush, "I would give a lot to tell you the whole thing. But—I can't, for a day or so, anyhow. But one thing I might have told you a long time a ago. If you had known it, you would not have suspected me for a moment of—of having anything to do with the attack on Arnold Armstrong. Goodness knows what I might do to a fellow like that, if there was enough provocation, and I had a gun in my hand—under ordinary circumstances. But—I care a great deal about Louise Armstrong, Aunt Ray. I hope to marry her some day. Is it likely I would kill her brother?"

"But the whole thing is absurd," I argued. "And besides, Gertrude's sworn statement that you left before Arnold Armstrong came would clear you at once."

Halsey got up and began to pace the room, and the air of cheerfulness dropped like a mask.

"She can't swear it," he said finally. "Gertrude's story was true as far as it went, but she didn't tell everything. Arnold Armstrong came here at 2:30—came into the billiard room and left in five minutes. He came to bring—something."

"Halsey," I cried, "you must tell me the whole truth. Every time I see a way for you to escape you block it yourself with this wall of mystery. What did he bring?"

"A telegram—for Bailey," he said. "It came by special messenger from town, and was—most important. Bailey had started for here, and the messenger had gone back to the city. The steward gave it to Arnold, who had been drinking all day and couldn't sleep, and was going for a stroll in the direction of Sunnyside."

"And he brought it?"

"Yes."

"I can tell you—as soon as certain things are made public. It is only a matter of days now," gloomily.

"And Gertrude's story of a telephone?"

"Poor Trude!" he half whispered. "Poor loyal little girl! Aunt Ray, there was no such message. No doubt your detective already knows that and discredits all Gertrude told him."

"And when she went back, it was to get—the telegram?"

"Probably," Halsey said slowly. "When you get to thinking about it, Aunt Ray, it looks bad for all three of us, doesn't it? And yet—I will take my oath none of us even inadvertently killed that poor devil."

I looked at the closed door into Gerturde's dressing room, and lowered my voice.

"The same horrible thought keeps recurring to me," I whispered. "Halsey, Gertrude probably had your revolver; she must have examined it, anyhow, that night. After you—and Jack had gone, what if—that ruffian came back, and she—and she—"

I couldn't finish. Halsey stood looking at me with shut lips.

"She might have heard him fumbling at the door—he had no key, the police say—and thinking it was you, or Jack, she admitted him. When she saw her mistake she ran up the stairs, a step or two, and turning, like an animal at bay, she fired."

Halsey had his hand over my lips before I finished, and in that position we stared each at the other, our stricken glances crossing.

"The revolver—my revolver—thrown into the tulip bed!" he muttered to himself. "Thrown perhaps from an upper window; you say it was buried deep. Her prostration ever since, her—Aunt Ray, you don't think it was Gertrude who fell down the clothes chute?"

I could only nod my head in a hopeless affirmative.

They Stared at Each Other Across the Big Library Table.

CHAPTER X.

The Traders' Bank.

The morning after Halsey's return was Tuesday. Arnold Armstrong had been found dead at the foot of the circular staircase at three o'clock on Sunday morning. The funeral services were to be held on Tuesday, and the interment of the body was to be deferred until the Armstrongs arrived from California. No one, I think, was very sorry that Arnold Armstrong was dead, but the manner of his death aroused some sympathy and an enormous amount of curiosity. Mrs. Ogden Fitzhugh, a cousin, took charge of the arrangements, and everything, I believe, was as quiet as possible. I gave Thomas Johnson and Mrs. Watson permission to go into town to pay their last respects to the dead man, but for some reason they did not care to go.

Halsey spent part of the day with Mr. Jamieson, but he said nothing of what happened. He looked grave and anxious, and he had a long conversation with Gertrude late in the afternoon.

Tuesday evening found us quiet, with the quiet that precedes an explosion. Gertrude and Halsey were both gloomy and distraught, and as Liddy had already discovered that some of the china was broken—it is impossible to have any secrets from an old servant—I was not in a pleasant humor myself. Warner brought up the afternoon mail and the evening papers at seven—I was curious to know what the papers said of the murder. We had turned away at least a dozen reporters. But I read over the head-line that ran half-way across the top of the Gazette twice before I comprehended it. Halsey had opened the Chronicle and was staring at it fixedly.

"The Traders' bank closes its doors!" was what I read, and then I put down the paper and looked across the table.

"Did you know of this?" I asked Halsey.

"I—expected it. But not so soon," he replied.

"And you?" to Gertrude.

"Jack—told us—something," Gertrude said faintly. "Oh, Halsey, what can he do now?"

"Jack!" I said scornfully. "Your Jack's flight is easy enough to explain now. And you helped him, both of you, to get away! You get that from your mother; it isn't an Innes trait. Do you know that every dollar you have, both of you, is in that bank?"

Gertrude tried to speak, but Halsey stopped her.

"That isn't all, Gertrude," he said quietly; "Jack is—under arrest."

"Under arrest!" Gertrude screamed, and tore the paper out of his hand. She glanced at the heading, then she crumpled the newspaper into a ball and flung it to the floor. While Halsey, looking stricken and white, was trying to smooth it out and read it, Gertrude had dropped her head on the table and was sobbing stormily.

I have the clipping somewhere, but just now I can remember only the essentials.

On the afternoon before, Monday, while the Traders' bank was in the rush of closing hour, between two and three, Mr. Jacob Trautman, president

Sent Two Telegrams.

of the Pearl Brewing Company, came into the bank to lift a loan. As security for the loan he had deposited some 300 International Steamship Company 5's, in total value $300,000. Mr. Trautman went to the loan clerk, and, after certain formalities had been gone through, the loan clerk went to the vault. Mr. Trautman, who was a large and genial German, waited for a time, whistling under his breath. The loan clerk did not come back. After an interval, Mr. Trautman saw the loan clerk emerge from the vault and go to the assistant cashier; the two went hurriedly to the vault. A lapse of another ten minutes, and the assistant cashier came out and approached Mr. Trautman. He was noticeably white and trembling. Mr. Trautman was told that through an oversight the bonds had been misplaced, and was asked to return the following morning, when everything would be made all right.

Mr. Trautman, however, was a shrewd business man, and he did not like the appearance of things. He left the bank apparently satisfied, and within 30 minutes he had called up three different members of the Traders' board of directors. At 3:30 there was a hastily convened board meeting, with some stormy scenes, and late in the afternoon a national bank examiner was in possession of the books. The bank had not opened for business Tuesday.

At 12:30 o'clock the Saturday before, as soon as the business of the day was closed, Mr. John Bailey, the cashier of the defunct bank, had taken his hat and departed. During the afternoon he had called up Mr. Aronson, a member of the board, and said he was ill, and might not be at the bank for a day or two. As Bailey was highly thought of, Mr. Aronson merely expressed a regret. From that time until Monday night, when Mr. Bailey had surrendered to the police, little was known of his movements. Some time after one on Saturday he had entered the Western Union office at Cherry and White streets and had sent two telegrams. He was at the Greenwood Country club on Saturday night, and appeared unlike himself. It was reported that he would be released under enormous bond some time that day, Tuesday.

The article closed by saying that while the officers of the bank refused to talk until the examiner had finished his work, it was known that securities aggregating a million and a quarter were missing. Then there was a diatribe on the possibility of such an occurrence; on the folly of a one-man bank, and of a board of directors that met only to lunch together and to listen to a brief report from the cashier, and on the poor policy of a government that arranges a three or four day examination twice a year. The mystery, it insinuated, had not been cleared by the arrest of the cashier. Before now minor officials had been used to cloak the misdeeds of men higher up. Inseparable as the words "speculation" and "peculation" have grown to be, John Bailey was not known to be in the stock market. His only words, after his surrender, had been: "Send for Mr. Armstrong at once." The telegraph message which had finally reached the president of the Traders' bank, in an interior town in California, had been responded to by a telegram from Dr. Walker, the young physician who was traveling with the Armstrong family, saying that Paul Armstrong was very ill and unable to travel.

That was how things stood that Tuesday evening. The Traders' bank had suspended payment, and John Bailey was under arrest, charged with wrecking it; Paul Armstrong lay very ill in California, and his only son had been murdered two days before. I sat dazed and bewildered. The children's money was gone; that was bad enough, though I had plenty, if they would let me share. But Gertrude's grief was beyond any power of mine to comfort; the man she had chosen stood accused of a colossal embezzlement—and even worse. For in the instant that I sat there I seemed to see the coils closing around John Bailey as the murderer of Arnold Armstrong.

Gertrude lifted her head at last and stared across the table at Halsey.

"Why did he do it?" she wailed. "Couldn't you stop him, Halsey? It was suicidal to go back!"

Halsey was looking steadily through the windows of the breakfast room, but it was evident he saw nothing.

"It was the only thing to do, Trude," he said at last. "Aunt Ray, when I found Jack at the Greenwood club last Saturday night, he was frantic. I cannot talk until Jack tells me I may, but—he is absolutely innocent of all this, believe me. I thought, Trude and I thought, we were helping him, but it was the wrong way. He came back. Isn't that the act of an innocent man?"

"Then why did he leave at all?" I asked, unconvinced. "What innocent man would run away from here at three o'clock in the morning? Doesn't it look rather as though he thought it impossible to escape?"

Gertrude rose angrily. "You are not even just!" she flamed. "You don't know anything about it, and you condemn him!"

"I know that we have all lost a great deal of money," I said. "I shall believe Mr. Bailey innocent the moment he is shown to be. You profess to know the truth, but you cannot tell me! What am I to think?"

Halsey leaned over and patted my hand.

"You must take us on faith," he said. "Jack Bailey hasn't a penny that doesn't belong to him; the guilty man will be known in a day or so."

"I shall believe that when it is proved," I said grimly. "In the meantime, I take no one on faith. The Inneses never do."

Gertrude, who had been standing aloof at a window, turned suddenly. "But when the bonds are offered for sale, Halsey, won't the thief be detected at once?"

Halsey turned with a superior smile.

"It wouldn't be done that way," he said. "They would be taken out of the vault by some one who had access to it, and used as collateral for a loan in another bank. It would be possible to realize 80 per cent. of their face value."

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"I tried all kinds of doctors and remedies but I might as well have thrown my money down a sewer. They would dry up for a little while and fill me with hope only to break out again just as bad if not worse. I had given up hope of ever being cured when I was induced by my wife to give the Cuticura Remedies a trial. After taking the Cuticura Remedies for a little while I began to see a change, and after taking a dozen bottles of Cuticura Resolvent in conjunction with the Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment, the trouble had entirely disappeared and my leg was as fine as the day I was born. Now after a lapse of six months with no signs of a recurrence I feel perfectly safe in extending to you my heartfelt thanks for the good the Cuticura Remedies have done for me. I shall always recommend them to my friends. W. H. White, 312 E. Cabot St., Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. and Apr. 13, 1909."

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In the Desert.

Here is a glimpse of the horrors of a western desert taken from the Goldfild (Nev.) News: "Another desert victim is reported, and Archie Campbell, manager of the Last Chance mining property, near Death valley, came to Goldfield yesterday to endeavor to establish the identity of the unfortunate.

"Mr. Campbell encountered the unknown man on the desert in a frightful condition. He was in the last stages of desert exhaustion, devoid of clothing, sunburned, blistered and crazed, with his tongue swollen enormously, a pitiable object, and unable to speak.

"He was tenderly conveyed to camp but kind aid came too late, for an hour after he had absorbed the first cup of water he expired."

And They Wondered!

Judge Nicholas Longworth, who used to sit on Ohio's supreme bench, looked unnaturally grave, and a neighbor, in recognition of his facial depression, named a pet owl "Judge Longworth." It was the very next day that an excited maid broke up his wife's garden party. "Oh, madam," said she. "Madam! Judge Longworth has laid an egg."

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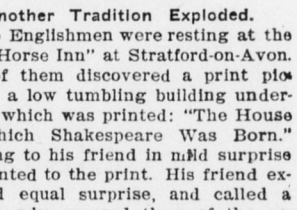

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Quaint Table Manners.

Jerome S. McWade, the Duluth millionaire, talked at a dinner about the delights of a backwoods vacation.

"I go to a quaint backwoods village every summer," he said, "and numberless are the quaint people I meet there.

"Old Boucher, for instance, the janitor of the village church, is most amusing with his quaint ways. I had old Boucher to lunch one day, and the cold lobster was served with a mayonnaise sauce. When my servant offered this sauce to Boucher, the old man stuck his knife in it, took up a little on the blade, tasted it, then shook his head and said:

"'Don't choose none.'"

Another Tradition Exploded.

Two Englishmen were resting at the "Red Horse Inn" at Stratford-on-Avon. One of them discovered a print picturing a low tumbling building underneath which was printed: "The House in Which Shakespeare Was Born." Turning to his friend in mild surprise he pointed to the print. His friend exhibited equal surprise, and called a waiter, who assured them of the accuracy of the inscription.

"'Pon my word," said the observing Englishman, shaking his head dubiously, "I thought he was born in a manger!"—Success Magazine.

A Fitting Design. . .

"I want an estimate on 10,000 letter heads," said the professional-looking man with the silk hat.

"Any special design?" asked the engraver.

"Yes, sir," replied the caller. "In the upper left-hand corner I want a catchy cut of Patrick Henry making his memorable speech, and in distinct letters, under the cut, his soul-inspiring words, 'Give me liberty or give me death.' You see," he added, handing a card to the engraver, "I'm a divorce lawyer, and want something fitting."—Lippincott's.

The Summer Girl.

"How'd you like to be engaged to a millionaire?"

"I was engaged to one all last summer, and he seldom spent a dime. I want to be engaged to a young man who is down here for two weeks with about $300 in his roll."

A woman tells her troubles to a doctor; a man tells his to a lawyer.

Convenient For Any Meal

Post Toasties

Are always ready to serve right from the box with the addition of cream or milk.

Especially pleasing with berries or fresh fruit.

Delicious, wholesome, economical food which saves a lot of cooking in hot weather.

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For Hot Weather

When the sun strengthens and blazes in the sky and heat becomes a factor to reckon with in dress, and everything else, millinery must be cool looking or it will fail to be attractive. All white or combinations of white with black, give us the crispest and best effects for the dog days. But white set off with a bit of scarlet, deft blue or leaf green is smart and effective also, and may be chosen instead of white with black.

Black for day time wear is not cool looking except when made of the thinest fabrics, like lace and net. The big black hats of hair braid or pyroxyline are lacy in texture and the admiration and the darling of the summer girl's heart. This season they belong to the "mystery" class; those hats that come down over the head, veiling the eyes and showing the profile from one side only. The corday hats of net and lace or those made on the "helmet" shapes have captivated as many as the big drooping picture hats.

A lovely hat for the hot weather is shown here made of dead white chip, overlaid with black chantilly lace. A grouping of four immense roses in tulle and silk is mounted across the front, they are almost colorless with a blush of pale pink at the edges of some of the petals. The effect is of millinery as light as air.

A pretty sailor for practical wear is trimmed with white wings and a coronet of plaited ribbon across the front. The shape is a Milan in the natural pale yellow of the finished hat. All the trimming is pure white and a crisp satin faced ribbon is chosen for making the plaiting.

A floating washable lace veil is the thing generally worn with these sailors.

CHARMING LINGERIE GOWN

Exceedingly Pretty Dress Eminently Suitable for Garden Party or River Wear.

A very charming lingerie gown has a smartly cut skirt tucked flounce, upon which appears a row of vandyked insertion, the insertion being continued at the top of the flounce in the same form, and appearing at intervals upon the skirt, the center im-

mediately below the knee being beautifully embroidered. The bodice has a collar of valenciennes lace, insertions of which appear in dainty design upon the bodice and upon the long sleeves and waist belt, the center of the bodice being embroidered to match the skirt. This is an exceedingly pretty and useful model, and is eminently suitable for garden party or river wear. This model is the one illustrated above.

Effective Sofa Pillows.

An effective and easily made sofa pillow for a summer home is made in oblong shape, 14 by 20 inches.

The pillow is covered with plain heavy weave crash in ecru or gray. Two inches from each end are bands of flowered cretonne three inches wide crossing the pillow. These bands are edged on both sides with narrow ecru lace applied flat.

Another variation had the body of the pillow of flowered chintz or cretonne with bands of figured ecru linen such as is used for furniture covering. The ends of this pillow have a two-inch wide linen lace in ecru tints.

ART IN WEARING OF SASH

Height and Breadth Can Be Increased or Toned Down by Draping of Sash.

There is a great deal of art in the wearing of a sash. One can increase one's height or one's breadth, adorn a plain gown, tone down an elaborate one, give a touch of distinction to one's whole appearance, simply by the way in which the sash is draped and adjusted.

Try wearing the sash in shawl style over the shoulders, caught by a stitch in back and tucked under the girdle, to fall in diagonal lengths to just above the ankles.

Or wind it twice around the waist, like a girdle; cross it in front and fasten with a knot at the sides of the skirt below the knees.

Then there is the Scotch tartan effect, especially attractive with a plaid scarf, where there is a broad band over the left shoulder, a narrow draped one over the back and the right, and a knot at the waist on the left side, so that the sash falls in a broad width almost to the bottom of the frock.

The adjustment of the sash may well have reference to the concealment of some defect in the garment it covers—a tiny tear, perhaps, or an ineradicable stain. It should emphasize the good points of the figure and hide the bad. That is why the old fashion of the stiff bow at the back was so bad; it made every woman look stout.

Give a little thought to the draping of your sash, and half your battle for beauty of appearance is won.

The Dainty Negligee.

Dainty negligees appeal to most women and when these pretty garments can be made at home without much trouble they are especially interesting. In one model seen recently the material was fine white cross bar dimity and might have been cut by a simple long kimono pattern. The neck was finished with a large shawl collar of persian lawn and valenciennes insertion, and the large flowing sleeves were in the same lingerie effect. Both sleeves and collar were edged with a lace frill. A casing of the lawn was sewed on the gown at short waist length and was threaded with pink ribbons which tied in the front at the ends of the deep collar.

Tulle Roses.

A charming trimming on a pink silk evening dress seen recently consisted of a cluster of five roses, formed of pink tulle, with green tulle stems twisted over thin wire, sewed to the left side of the low neck. The effect was exceedingly attractive, and showed again the value of the little touches to raise a gown from the commonplace.

WAGON BED CONVERTED INTO DIFFERENT USES

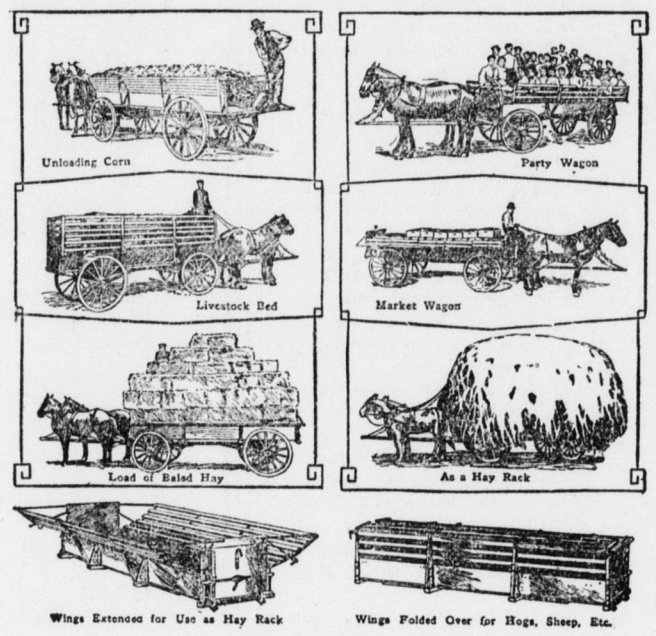
Agriculturist Has Often Found It Hardship to Be Obliged to Buy or Build Number of Vehicles Required on Farm.

A convertible wagon bed which can be changed into 15 different kinds of bodies for different uses around a farm, without adding to it or taking from it a single piece, has been designed and is undoubtedly the most radical improvement made in farm wagons for a decade, says Popular Mechanics.

In a few minutes it can be transformed from a hay rack into a wagon for carrying live stock, and with equal quickness it can be converted into a vehicle for carrying a large number of passengers who can be provided with comfortable seats along the sides for picnicking, etc.

The agriculturist has often found it a hardship to be obliged to buy or build a number of wagons for the multifarious requirements incident to the operation of a farm. The wagon that could serve to carry boxes or crated vegetables and berries to market would not be of any use when haying time came around. When it was necessary to carry calves or live stock, still another wagon must be called into service.

While reapers, threshers, and other farm implements have been continually improved, the farm wagon has remained practically at a standstill. Perhaps the fact that the automobile has made such wonderful progress has served to overshadow the humble beast of burden and his reliable wagon. Old Dobbin may be a second rater now, but he will continue for some time to fill his particular sphere of endeavor with a faithfulness which the motor car cannot always be relied upon to give.



A Wagon Bed of Many Uses.

RIDDING FARM OF GRASSHOPPER

Favorite Remedy, Recommended By Colorado Agricultural College Is Arsenic Bran Mash.

(By S. ARTHUR JOHNSON, Colorado Agricultural College.)

In spite of the fact that a great deal of work has been done by experiment stations on grasshoppers, no royal road to control has yet been found. Each attack has to be considered on its own merits and relief sought through the most promising channel.

One of the favorite remedies is arsenic bran mash. This is made by mixing one pound of white arsenic with 25 pounds of bran. The arsenic is so near the color of the flour in the bran that it is not easy to tell when the mixing is well done. To overcome this difficulty, the arsenic may first be collected by adding a little dry paint.

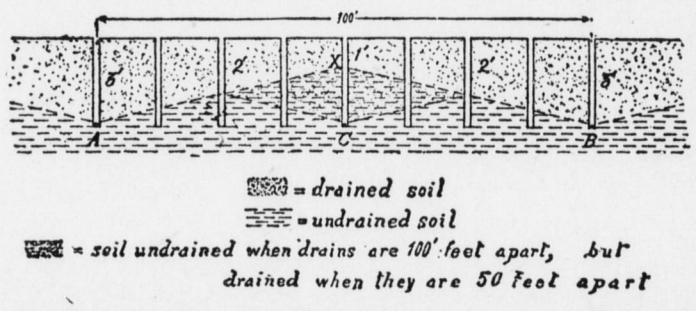
After the bran and arsenic are well mixed they should be moistened with water. Put in just enough to make the particles stick together. This mixture should be scattered where the grasshoppers are thickest. If the insects are invading a garden or potato patch, it is well to scatter the bran mash about the borders. In the fields of alfalfa or grain, the bran should be scattered where the grasshoppers congregate on ditch banks and dry places. All the insects will not find and eat it, but many will and often the crop can be fairly well protected. The writer has never used this preparation against young grasshoppers, but some farmers state that the crops may be completely protected by its use, while others claim that they will not eat it.

Of course, it will not do to scatter his substance where chickens will be likely to pick it up, and none of the mixture must be left where domestic animals are apt to get it or be fed from the vessel.

Good Exercise.

There is no harm in pigs rooting if they are in a field where rooting will do no harm. Pigs can secure much feed by rooting and the exercise will do them good. Where troublesome roots infest the soil they will often eradicate them if allowed to do so. The fattening hog should not be allowed to root, as the exercise consumes too much feed and energy.

TILE DRAINS IN CLAY SOIL



▩ = drained soil

▤ = undrained soil

▩ = soil undrained when drains are 100 feet apart, but drained when they are 50 feet apart

The illustration shown herewith is from a bulletin of the Ontario Department of Agriculture and shows how the water table of the soil depends on the location of drains. If in a field that is underdrained three feet deep a number of holes are dug it would be observed after a heavy rain that in those nearest the drains no water would remain. In the hole situated half-way between the drains at C would hold considerable water for a few days.

In a clay in fairly good condition it will be found that the slope of the water table is about 1 foot in 25, in loam 1 foot in about 33. The illustration represents a clay soil with drains A and B 100 feet apart. Wells are dug 12.5 feet apart. At the end of 48 hours after a heavy rain the water will stand about as indicated by zig-zag lines, in a gradient of about 1 in 25, and hence will be two feet deeper in the centre well than at either drain. Hence if the drains are three feet deep there will be three feet of drained soil over A and B, but only one foot at X. Capillarity and soil resistance to water flow play an important part in holding the water highest half way between the drains, and the gradient 1 in 25 represents their combined strength in clay, hence after this gradient is reached drainage becomes very, very slow, and the water table stands in this irregular shape until lowered by evaporation from the soil and plants. But during the months of April, May and sometimes June, when the rains supply at the surface all the water needed for evaporation, none is drawn from below for this purpose, hence during the early months of growth the water stands as indicated by the dotted line AXB. Consequently root development is hampered at X, as 1 foot of soil is not enough. There are two ways to remedy the defect, either to dig A and B deeper or else put a drain at C half way between.

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Doll House Library.

A search for a child's short story, "The Griffin and the Minor Canon," in a volume all by itself revealed to a persistent city shopper the thought and money that are expended on the furnishing of dolls' houses. Book stores had not the story in a single volume, but in a department store one young woman interviewed had recently been transferred from the toy department and was able to contribute a helpful hint.

"I think," she said, "you can find it in one of the dolls' houses downstairs."

Curiosity had by that time become a sauce to literature, so the shopper hurried downstairs to inspect the doll houses. Three of the most expensive houses contained libraries consisting of a score of diminutive books and each book contained a child's story complete. One of them was "The Griffin and the Minor Canon."

Quotation Marks.

Senator Beveridge, in an after-dinner speech in Cleveland, said of a corrupt politician:

"The man's excuse is as absurd as the excuse that a certain minister offered on being convicted of plagiarism.

"'Brethren,' said this minister, 'it is true that I occasionally borrow for my sermons, but I always acknowledge the fact in the pulpit by raising two fingers at the beginning and two at the end of the borrowed matter, thus indicating that it is quoted.'"

A Five-Cent Washwoman.

In Evanston, Illinois, washwomen get from $2 to $2.50 per day, and carfare to and from work. Five years ago they got $1.50 a day. Naturally wash day is an expensive day there. But now women everywhere are learning of a wash-day worker that only costs a nickel. Easy Task laundry soap does half the work all by itself, saves money, saves time, saves fuel, saves health and saves clothing. Many women say it solves the servant problem.

Included Her.

"Why did she get angry at the stranger in town?"

"She asked him if he had seen her daughter and he answered that he had seen all the sights of the place."

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Breezy County News

NORTH CREEK.

J. W. Lewis visited the city Monday.

Mrs. S. M. Housler went to Westfield, Tioga county, to attend a re-union.

Mrs. Blanch Dow and Mrs. Solveson attended the Sunday School Convention, Wednesday, in Emporium. They were delegates from North Creek Sunday School.

W. J. Leavitt called on friends recently.

Thomas Britton made a flying trip up Clear Creek, Saturday and was also a city visitor.

Ethel Britton was guest of Hazel Chandler Saturday night and on Sunday went up Clear Creek to be in readiness, as teacher there, for the coming term.

Mrs. Frank Swesey and daughter Gertrude, were guests of Mrs. S's mother, Mrs. Carter, Sunday.

Mrs. Floyd Barton came over from Rich Valley with her children, Sunday, and was guest of her sister Mrs. Varis Dow. Together, they called on their sister Mrs. Ed. Cool.

Quite a number of Emporiumites were seen on our streets Sunday.

Mr. Scott and Mrs. Woodcock who autoed from Bolivar N. Y., and were guests of Mrs. Anson Swartwood and and Mrs. W's two sons Claude and Ralph who have been staying with Mrs. S. for some time. Mrs. McClenahan and children enjoyed a spin in the auto, with Scott at the wheel, during the visit.

Warren Moore was here from the Valley, Sunday.

Mrs. Solveson was a city visitor Monday.

BLUE JAY.

HUNTLEY.

Miss Mattie Collins, county Supt. was the guest of her brother, B. J. Collins, over Sunday.

C. J. Miller transacted business at Driftwood on Monday.

W. A. Nelson who has been on the sick list for some time is slowly improving.

Evert Duell of Mason Hill called in town Sunday to see the sick.

Dr. B. A. Beale made a professional call in town on Sunday.

T. W. Kailburn has purchased a new target gun and it is a beauty. Tom says he can drive a nail every shot 300 yards away.

Lawrence Smith of Renovo visited his parents Mr and Mrs. L. H. Smith over Sunday.

Mrs. W. R. Smith took in the Red Men's celebration at Medix Run on Saturday.

J. E. Johnson was a business caller in Driftwood on Monday.

Dan Kailburn, Pennsy fireman of Renovo called on town folks on Sunday.

Albert Losey of Sinnamahoning called on B. J. Collins on Sunday.

Mrs. A. T. Smith who has been on the sick list for some time is able to be out again.

Thomas Kailburn transacted business at Johnsonburg on Monday.

Mrs. Lawrence Smith who has been spending a few days with her sister at Renovo returned home on Friday.

C. W. Johnson was a Driftwood caller on Monday.

SPORT.

CAMERON.

The dance held in the K. G. E. Hall Thursday evening was largely attended, everybody report having a fine time.

Miss Sadie Comley was a Sterling Run visitor this week.

Mrs. Olsen of Media is visiting her daughter Mrs. Ed. Krape at this place.

Mrs. Howard Burlingame of Detroit, Mich., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Stewart, at this place.

Mrs. William McVane, Mrs. Fred Comley and Miss Rosa Lord were Emporium visitors this week.

Mrs. Henry Morse visited her daughter, Mrs. Nunn, at Canoe Run, Friday.

Mrs. G. B. Shearer and daughters Miss Hazel and Ida of Emporium visited Mrs. Fred Comley Sunday.

A number of young people attended the ball game at Sterling Run Sunday.

Master Ed. Clark our champion trapper says he has his eyes on a large bear and two cubs in Hunts Run and if he has his nerve when the season opens up as he has now he will bring them home dead or alive. Without a doubt Ed. means what he says.

Miss Edith Lupole was a Sterling Run visitor Saturday. Some of the older people are visiting the coolspring, also the grove of late. What's the matter with father, he's all right.

DEW DROP.

Safe Medicine for Children.

Foley's Honey and Tar is a safe and effective medicine for children as it does not contain opiates or harmful drugs. Get only the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar in the yellow package. For sale by Emporium Drug Co.

SINNAMAHONING.

Mrs. A. H. Shafer and children have returned to their home at Ridgway after spending several weeks here the guest of relatives.

Rev. R. W. Runyan, Mrs. Runyan, Miss Buttorf, Mrs. McColl, Mrs. C. W. Gray and Charlotte Brooks attended the Sunday School Convention at Emporium last week.

Miss Grace Clark, a Missionary from New York City, gave a very entertaining talk in the church Sunday evening. A collection of more than $6.00 was lifted for her work.

Mrs. Jessie Fizzel of Olean, N. Y., is the guest of Mrs. C. M. Wykoff, this week.

Mrs. Chas. Garson and children of Pittsburg and Mrs. G. W. Huntley of Driftwood visited in town Tuesday of this week.

Mrs. Thos. Espy is quite ill.

Miss Grace Baird is also under the doctor's care.

Mrs. Wm. Swartwood and children of Emporium are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Swartwood.

Mr. T. H. Piper is visiting relatives at Huntington and Altoona.

Charlotte Brooks spent last Sunday in Renovo with her sister and family.

Quite a number of our people attended the Mason family reunion and picnic at Sterling Run last Thursday.

Miss Myrtle Shafer is visiting relatives at Oneonta, N. Y.

Mrs. T. E. Fulton and children and Miss Elizabeth Piper visited in Driftwood a day last week.

Mrs. T. S. Fulton and family spent several days last week at Sterling Run with her parents.

T. S. and T. E. Fulton made a trip to Buffalo and Niagara Falls, last week.

Mrs. V. A. Brooks is in Renovo this week helping care for her grand-children who have the whooping cough.

Misses Rena and Lena Wykoff, daughters of Judge Wykoff, celebrated their birthday last Friday evening by entertaining the young people of our town. All report a fine time.

The Misses Kelly and Kintner of Renovo were in town last Saturday.

Hon. C. F. Barclay, and Mr. and Mrs. R. Z. Roberts, of Washington. D. C., are in town this week.

Nathan Silin is having his residence painted.

Miss Shuey of Bellefonte and Mr. and Mrs. G. Calhoun Moore and children of Buffalo are visiting Mrs. A. R. Counsil and family.

Nace H. Drum of DuBois was in town Wednesday of this week.

Dr. A. Owaroff is located here. He has our best wishes for success.

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SINNAMAHONING.

Leo P. Shafer was a caller at Driftwood Monday evening.

George Dexter, engineer on the B. & S., visited his family Tuesday.

Mrs. Theodora Dingey has moved to Enterprise in the D. J. Wykoff's House.

Some person robbed Dr. Gray's pear tree Saturday night.

Forestry officer R. M. Crum is on Karthaus this week cleaning up the State Roads.

Geo. P. Jones, General manager of the Cameron Powder Co., was a visitor in town last week.

Sinnamahoning Lodge No. 1138 I. O. O. F., held lodge on Saturday evening. All had a good time.

Lewis Wykoff visited his father at Grove Hill Sunday.

Asbury Summerson visited his parents at North Bend Sunday.

The dry weather is pretty hard on the wells and springs. A good many are going dry.

Fred Lix of Renovo was a caller on Tuesday.

W. C. Bauman of Lock Haven was in town last week.

Hon. C. F. Barclay is at home this week. His sister and brother-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Roberts came with him for a few weeks' visit in this place.

J. G. Drum and family, of Laquin, were visiting here last week.

Camp No. 122, P. O. of A. will hold one of their pleasant luncheons next Tuesday evening. All members are requested to be present.

Mrs. Geo. P. Shafer and children are visiting friends at Westport this week.

Charlie Meixel has captured seventeen groundhogs so far this summer. He has got Charley Snyder beat all hollow. Snyder says he will give up the belt as soon as he gets the proof.

J. Henry Logue and Jos. Donley are prospecting for ginseng these fine days.

Counsil Bros. have commenced on their new store. They will build at the end of Grove bridge. The building will be of concrete blocks and a steel roof which will make it fireproof on the outside. The main store room will be 30x60 feet with the postoffice, meat room. etc. The building will be up-to-date in every respect.

Geo. P. Shafer is fitting up some small buildings to live in until he builds his new hotel. George is a hustler and we hope he will succeed and get along all right.

Counsil Bros. are putting in a new stock of dry goods and groceries in the ware room of Barclay Bros. until they get their new store built.

The Citizen's Band was out Wednesday evening. The boys are getting along fine and are giving the citizens some fine music but a good many do not appreciate good music when they hear it.

A. D. Gore & Son are busy getting their new grist mill ready for fall work. It is something needed here and will be a big help to the farmers in this section.

The old wood mill is all torn down and ready to be shipped.

Jim Batchelder's rabbits are growing fine and are getting veay tame if the cats and dogs would let them alone.

The Citizens Band serenaded Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Batchelder and the Rorbert's people Wednesday evening and went home with a V in their pockets. Come again boys.

DEBSE.

STERLING RUN.

Mrs. Myrtle Harrison and children of New Bethlehem visiting friends and relatives in town the week.

Mrs. Bibianania Spangler of Philadelphia is visiting friends in town this week,

Mrs. Chas. Jones moved to Austin. Tuesday.

Mrs. Olive Smith and sons of Rockton, were the guests of Mrs. T. M. Lewis over Sunday.

Mrs. Geary of Lock Haven is the guest of her niece, Mrs. Albert Smith, who has been quite ill the past week, but is better at this writing.

William Welsh has accepted a position on the Pennsy as ticket agent at Wilcox, where he expects to go Sept. 8th.

H. T. Foster left town for the South last Saturday. His many friends regretted to see him leave.

Miss Kathryn May returned home Monday from a two weeks' visit with relatives at Williamsport.

Mrs. Minnie Williams of Warren visited relatives in town the past week.

Miss Gladys O'Keefe visited friends at Mix Run over Sunday.

Rev. Ebersole and wife returned home Monday from several weeks' visit at Kersey.

.Mrs. A, J. Brooks is visiting son E. P Brooks and family at Medix Run this week.

Miss Mabel Wylie left town Tuesday to teach school this winter at Hollidaysburg where she has been a successful teacher for several years.

Harry Beamer, the Mount Hope Coal Mining boss is visiting his family at Philipsburg. He expects to move here soon.

Ed. Berry has bought the W. M. Summerson place in which he moved his family on Friday.

Miss Irene Bagley returned home Monday from Philadelphia where she has been visiting relations for several weeks.

Mrs. C. A. Dice returned home Monday from Chester Springs where she accompanied her sister Stella to the Soldiers Orphan School at that place.

Mrs. J. R. Strawbridge returned home Monday from a ten days trip to Atlantic city.

Thad Brooks of Driftwood and brother John of Pittsburg, accompanied by Lincoln Ebersole were out prospecting for fireclay, which they found in large quantities.

Mrs. Nellie Fulton and children of Sinnamahoning were the guests of grandparents Jos. Kissel and wife the past week.

Ronald Welsh of Howard is the guest of grandparent Wm. Stephens and wife.

Miss Rotha Kreider of Driftwood visited friends in town this week.

Mrs. Fred Hewitt and son of Ridgway was the guest of sister Mary Summerson the past week.

BLUE BELL.

FIRST FORK

Some person or persons with but poor ideas of the rights of property, raided Brooks Lorshbaugh's ginseng patch last Tuesday night, taking all the roots, and leaving him the stalks and green berries, which were too green for propagation. He estimates his loss at $130, which some of his neighbors consider a very conservatives estimate. Notwithstanding the danger of robbery Swank Bros. are enlarging their ginseng gardens to double their present capacity and C. E. Logue is fitting himself up a patch to start in the ginseng business. Jessie M. Logue expects to dig several hundred dollars worth again this fall, if some one doesn't get the start of him, and dig it for him.

Mrs. Geo. Beckner has gone to Medix Run to visit friends for a few days.

The farmers are cutting their buck wheat in this section, and bids fair for a good yield.

The big shower of Friday morning did lots of good, and ushered in the cold spell promised by the weather Bureau but we have had no frost yet.

Our school starts up today with Miss Stella Logue as teacher.

C. E. Logue has his house done far enough so he has moved into it.

A Pie and Watermelon Social was held at the Bailey schoolhouse Saturday night by Miss Crum the teacher, to raise funds for furnishing the school room. The Sinnamahoning band was up, as well as several others from that place. They raised about $25, but some of that had to be used to pay for ice cream and other expenses.

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DENTS RUN.

Quite a number from this place attended the First Annual Picnic of the Red Men held at Medix Run Saturday.

The ball game between the local team and Weedville at Medix Run Saturday resulted in a defeat for our boys the score being 4—0. Our boys put up a good game in the field, far out-classing Weedville, but were weak with the stick. Losey struck no less than 13 Weedville men out and deserves credit when it is considered that he is nothing more than a 17 year old youngster and was pitted against the veteran ball players of the Bennet's Branch valley.

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Mrs. J. M. Olsen is visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. D. Krape.

The youngest child of Wm. Fox who has been ill for the past week is better at this writing.

Mrs. Geo. L. Page is reported on the sick list, Dr. Bush is attending.

Messrs. Walker & Krape have a dance booked for in the hall Sept. 16, and a good time is assured to all.

Carrie Anderson of Jamestown, N. Y., visited her sister, Mrs. Herman Anderson last week.

The Social and dance held in the hall Saturday eve proved quite a success.

Geo. Walker and Edwin Stuart visited the Devil's Cave Monday, but said they did not see the old fellow, evidently they saw his shadow.

What became of the Cameron base ball team? No games schudeled lately. Better get busy boys, don't get out of practice.

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